## St. Leo's Church

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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday evening 4:00pm Sunday 7:30, 11:00am.

**WEEKDAY MASS** 

8:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday,

**FRIDAYS** 

NO Adoration of Blessed Sacrament during pandemic

**HOLY DAY MASSES** 

8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. (school days only) 12:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

**PASTOR** 

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Sacrament of Baptism: Please make arrangements in advance. Baptisms are celebrated on

the Second Sunday of each month at 1:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturdays 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Marriage: Arrangements must be made at least one year prior to the wedding.

Saint Leo's School Mrs. Nancy Pierce (Principal) 120 Main Street 537-1007 www.St-Leoschool.org St. Leo's Cemetery Office: 108 Main Street 537-7257 St. Leo's Cemetery Location: 360 Lancaster St. St. Leo's Religious Education Office (CCD) 118 Main St. 537-1198 Ellen Wade-Medeiros ST. LEO

LEOMINSTER



From the Pastor's Desk

SATURDAY

**JANUARY 29** 

4:00PM

Michael Krysiak by family Iginia Joseph by J. Shannon

SUNDAY

**JANUARY 30** 

7:30AM Francis Joseph by K. Lambert

8:30AM 11:00AM

MONDAY 7:00 AM JANUARY 31 NO MASS

8:30 AM

**TUESDAY** 7:00 AM 8:30 AM

FEBRUARY 1

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY 8:30 AM FEBRUARY 2

**NO MASS** 

**THURSDAY** 

**FEBRUARY 3** 

7:00AM

NO MASS

8:30AM FRIDAY

FEBRUARY 4 No MASS

7:00AM 8:30AM

Fr. Edward Moran 5th Anniv.

SATURDAY

**FEBRUARY 5** 

4:00 PM

Pat & Lucy O'Malley by family

SUNDAY

**FEBRUARY 6** 

7:30 AM

Stanley McNiff by wife & family

8:30AM

11:00AM

Bill Murray by family

Fr. Wayne Benton by family



The last weekend our parish community contributed \$6,185.30 for Ordinary, \$254.60 for Capital Improvement, and \$312.00 for fuel, \$65.00 for Catholic Free Press, \$22.00 for Catholic University.

Thank you for your generosity!

#### My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

This is Catholic School Week! Each year Catholic schools across the country focus on the value Catholic education provides to young people and its contribution to our church, communities, and nation. This year's theme for Catholic Schools Week is Catholic Schools: Faith, Excellence, Service.

Each day during this week the students in St. Leo School will have a special activity which allows them to celebrate that they attend a Catholic School. On Wednesday we will celebrate Mass with the students and faculty. Other activities will allow students to show their appreciation for their teachers and others who are part of the school community. While the pandemic is affecting how our school will celebrate, we will do our best to still make this a celebratory week.

As our parish celebrates its 150th anniversary this year, we can celebrate how Catholic education has shaped the lives of so many of our parishioners. St. Leo School continues to make a difference in our parish and in our community.

So let us celebrate Catholic schools this week and our own Catholic school right here at St. Leo's!

Have a great week!

Sincerely yours in Christ, Fr. Bill

## Citurgical Roles

## WEEK FEBRUARY 5 & FEBRUARY 6 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:00PM T. Marchand 7:30 AM D. Bergeron 9:30 AM

11:00AM

K. Fraticelli J. Shannon
K. Lambert N. Pierce

S. Puma J. Shannon M. Tarara

R. Freiss D. Sutton

**USHERS** 

J. Hanlon

S. Pepin D. Pelkey



R. Ste.Marie

## THE LATEST FROM THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

- 1. This week, our Food Pantry will be open MONDAY. We invite parishioners who are in need of food to sign up for the pantry. To sign up for the Food Pantry call 978-786-7637 on next MONDAY between 10:00A.M. and 2:00 P.M. Come to the back of the rectory between 5:00 and 5:30 P.M. to pick up your food!
- 2. We are asking parishioners to donate this weekend <u>TOOTH PASTE</u>, <u>DISH SOAP & TOILET PAPER</u>.

Please drop off items in the bins at church.

3. We continue asking you to submit your prayer intentions to us. Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will pray for your intentions. Maybe a prayer request you submitted previously had been answered. Share your stories of prayers answered with us!

Thank you from the Saint Vincent de Paul Society.

#### CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

The Diocese of Worcester is holding its 21st annual Catholic Men's Conference on Saturday, April 2, 2022 at Assumption University in Worcester. Tickets purchased before March 21st are \$45.00. You can purchase tickets online at <a href="www.firstmensconf.org">www.firstmensconf.org</a>. For more information call Elaine Ford at 774-253-2996 or e-mail Angelo Guadagno at angelo0527@gmail.com.





F. Vincent

Thank you for supporting **St. Leo School Snowball Calendar** raffle The first week of winners are as follows:

- Jan. 18 \$50.00 Jean Gagne of Leominster
- Jan. 19 \$25.00 John Lind of Leominster
- Jan. 20 \$20.00 Sarah Molina of Fitchburg
- Jan. 21 \$25.00 Catherine Cloutier of Leominster
- Jan. 22 \$50.00 Peter Gagne of Worcester
- Jan. 23 \$75.00 Jane Brunetta of Sterling
- Jan. 24 \$25.00 Paul Maruszewski of Leominster
- Jan. 25 \$50.00 Steve LeBlanc of Leominster
- Jan. 26 \$25.00 Michael Tobler of Leominster
- Jan. 27 \$50.00 Paula Ptak of Leominster
- Jan. 28 \$50.00 Margarita Cabassa of Fitchburg
- Jan. 29 \$100.00 Jason Thomas of Leominster
- Jan. 30 \$100.00 Neil Turner of Leominster
- Jan 31 \$200.00 Kathy Maruszewski of Leominster

Thank you again for all your support of St. Leo School



## ST. BERNARD HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

St. Bernard's is hosting a Winter Open House on Wednesday, February 9th, at 6 P.M.

To register for this event, visit the school website at www.stbernardshighschool.org.

Any questions? Please call the Admission Office at 978-342-3212x107. Space is limited, register today1

Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY JANUARY 30

**Monday** 5:30PM JANUARY 31 FOOD PANTRY

Tuesday FEBRUARY 1

6:00PM NO TOPS (TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY)

Wednesday FEBRUARY 2

Thursday
6:00PM NO SCRIPTURE STUDY
7:00PM NO CHOIR REHEARSAL
7:00PM BOY SCOUTS

Friday FEBRUARY 4 9:00AM NO ADORATION

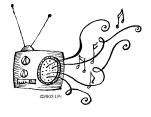
4:30PM

**Saturday FEBRUARY 5**10:00-3PM IRISH STEP DANCERS
2:30PM CONFESSIONS

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#### **UPDATE ON EMMANUEL RADIO**

**Emmanuel Communication operated two** Catholic radio stations in our diocese: 1230AM WNEB in Worcester and 970AM WESO in Southbridge. Recently **Emmanuel** Communications sold these two stations to a company based in New York. With the sale of these two stations all local programming has been eliminated. At this time Bishop McManus is not allowing these two stations to do any fundraising through parishes or other diocesan agencies. Requests for donations from these stations has not been approved by the bishop or the Diocese of Worcester. If this situation changes and approval for fundraising is given by Bishop McManus, we will let you know in a future bulletin announcement.







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