

The Church of St. Leo the Great

West by Northwest

ST. LEO PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"St. Leo the Great Catholic Church is a welcoming parish which is strengthened by the Eucharist, and which keeps Jesus Christ at its center. We are a community of faith characterized by prayerful worship, community involvement, evangelical discipleship, and vibrant stewardship. We are an ever-growing resource for spiritual renewal and Catholic teaching in the Hilton-Parma area. Our parish strives to be financially stable. Our parish collaborates with the Diocese of Rochester and other faith communities to develop dynamic programs that address the needs of the parish and the greater community."

A Stewardship Parish which gathers at 167 Lake Avenue, Hilton, New York 14468

A Cursillo Ultraya Center of the Rochester Diocese

January 30, 2011

ANDY ROCKAFELLOW RECEIVES EAGLE SCOUT HONOR



Andy Rockafellow, son of Sandra and Dan Rockafellow, attained the Boy Scout rank of Eagle Scout in December 2010. Andy is from Troop 125, sponsored by the St. Leo Knights of Columbus. He celebrated his achievement with family, friends, and fellow Scouts at a Court of Honor on December 28th at the Hilton Firehall.

Above, Andy is pictured with Mary Ann Smith, chosen by Andy to be the recipient of his Eagle Mentor Pin. Andy stated he chose Mrs. Smith, a Troop 125 Assistant Scoutmaster, for this award based on her strong influence and dedication to Scouting, the Community, and her Church.

For his Eagle Project, Andy and his volunteers worked over 450 hours to paint rooms and relocate the library for the St. Andrews Church Learning Center. Andy is active in the St. Leo's Parish as an Altar Server, Eucharistic Minister, and Coordinator of Altar Servers, maintaining their monthly schedule. Andy is a Senior Honor Student at Hilton High School and plans to study Spanish in College. Congratulations Andy!

EUCHRE PARTY NEWS



Time is running out for you to sign up for the semi-annual Euchre Party on Saturday, February 12. Don't have a partner? That's OK. You don't need one, just add your name(s) to the sign-up sheet in the Ambulatory. Come at 6:00 PM if you would like to order a sub for supper; 6:45 PM play begins. Admission is \$12 with sub; \$9 without. Snacks and pop are provided; beer and wine will be available for purchase. If you have any questions, call Glen Stanton at 392-2814. The deadline is Monday, February 7.

WILL YOU SHARE YOUR TIME AND TALENTS?

Second Time Treasures, the Resale Shop located in the Old Church Hall, is looking for stewards to help out on Saturdays. People 16 or older are needed from 10 AM - Noon, and 2-4 PM. Parent and child stewards are also welcome! You can help out on a weekly basis, every other week or just once a month - whatever fits your schedule. We have jobs that fit your abilities and interests, so give Anna a call at 392-8377 to set up a time to come help out. Thank you for your help in making this ministry a success.

ATTENTION: CHILDREN'S CHOIR PARENTS:

Children's choir will not have rehearsals or sing at Mass the month of February. Rehearsals will resume on Monday, March 21 from 6:45 PM - 7:30 PM. The children's Choir will be singing on April 3 and April 24 (Easter Sunday) at the 10:30 AM Mass. It is important that you arrive at 10:00 AM on Sundays to get prepared to sing.

From our Youth Minister, Michele Pechie:

**LifeTeen Mass on February 6,
Super Bowl Sunday, will begin at 5:00 PM**

Be a Friend! Make a Friend! Bring a Friend to Jesus!

THIS WEEK AT ST. LEO

Daily Masses: Mass Mon.-5:30 PM, Tues.-Thurs.- 8:30 AM
Fri.- Communion Service 8:30 AM, Divine Mercy Chapel
Divine Mercy Chaplet - Monday - Friday - 3:00 PM

MONDAY - January 31

6:00 PM Junior Bell Choir, Room 2
6:15 PM Group Reunion, Room 3
6:45 PM Children's Choir, Room 1
6:45 PM Summer Intensive Planning, Room 4
7:00 PM Senior Bell Choir, Room 2

TUESDAY - February 1

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Second Time Treasures
6:30 PM Stewardship, Room 5
7:00 PM Direction for Our Times, Divine Mercy Chapel

WEDNESDAY - February 2

9:00 AM - 8:25 PM Holy Hour and Adoration
3:00 PM Mass at Hilton Park
6:30 PM Pastoral Council, Room 2
7:00 PM Confraternity of Christian Mothers, Room 5
7:15 PM Festive Choir, Room 1

THURSDAY - February 3

2:00 PM - 8:00 PM Second Time Treasures
6:30 PM Girl Scouts #193, Room 2
6:30 PM Tiger Cubs, Room 3

FRIDAY - February 4

6:30 PM Group Reunion, Room 3
7:00 PM Little Flowers for Jesus, Room 5

SATURDAY - February 5

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Second Time Treasures
3:30 PM Confession
4:30 PM Rosary
5:00 PM Mass

SUNDAY - February 6

8:00 AM Mass
9:00 AM Religious Education
10:30 AM Mass & Children's Liturgy
10:30 AM Religious Education

5:00 PM LifeTeen Mass THIS WEEK ONLY

BOY SCOUT SUNDAY FEBRUARY 6TH:

Boy Scout Sunday will be celebrated during the St. Leo Youth Mass at **5:00 PM** on February 6th. (Time change due to the Super Bowl). All youth and adult members of the Boy Scouts of America are encouraged to attend. Please dress in your Class A uniform and plan to arrive by 4:45PM and meet in Room 5. Christian Rock music provided by Hearts Ablaze!

"One expecting to go to Heaven should take time to learn the route"

NORTHWEST REGIONAL RETREAT

“Opening Our Eyes, Ears, Mind and Heart to Christ”

The annual 4-Parish Northwest Regional Retreat will be held on Sunday, April 3, Monday, April 4 and Tuesday, April 5. On Sunday the retreat will be held at St. John, Spencerport, from 3:00 PM-5:00 PM. Monday, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Hamlin, will be the host parish with the event from 6:30 PM-8:30 PM. The retreat will end on Tuesday here at St. Leo’s, also from 6:30-8:30 PM.

Our Parish priests will deliver a homily based on the following themes: Sunday, “Leaving Our Nets Behind to Follow Jesus;” Monday, “Jesus Went Off to A Deserted Place And Prayed;” and Tuesday, “Jesus Forgives Sin and Heals the Sick.” Each night will include songs, prayer and a short witness from a fellow parishioner.

Don’t “give up” something for Lent this year. Add something! Mark your calendars now and plan on attending this retreat to enrich your faith life and increase your spirituality.

WOMEN’S TEA PARTY

Ladies of St. Leo's, what are you doing Thursday, February 17 at 7:00 PM? Everyone is so busy...but take some time for yourself, and come to a Tea Party! It will be fun, informative and relaxing. It is sponsored by the St. Leo's Columbiettes. Please RSVP by Feb. 10, 2011 by calling Mary Ann Mance at 392-5780 or Mavis Bushhouse at 227-6801. Just come for an evening of fun, and bring your friends, too!

HILTON EAST DRIVER THIS WEEK

Dan Schwind is the driver for Sunday, February 6.

“An enemy takes up more space in our head than a friend in our heart.”
-via Bill Reynolds - Reprinted with permission, *The Joyful Noiseletter*

Our Sanctuary Candle in Church burns in prayer this week for the
From: St. Leo Parishioners

Our Sanctuary Candle in the Divine Mercy Chapel burns in prayer for the Phillips Family.
From: Barb Richardson



IN NEED OF OUR PRAYER

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| Susan Ames | Janet Hatfield |
| Betsy Bauer | Michael Lee |
| Barbara Beach | William R. Lenhart |
| Kyle Bishop | Genevieve Lickona |
| Floyd Blodgett | Rosemary Maeder |
| Shirley Brown | Sue Oechsle |
| Peter Capone | Donna Pfarrer |
| Donna Lee Court | Ellie Reyner |
| Dorothy DeLong | Rose Saracino |
| Paula DiTucci | Frank Schrimp |
| Susan Ewsuck | Debbie Stahl |
| Julie Felgenhauer | Sharon Stowe |
| Carlene Gay | Maureen Sullivan |
| Madison Gears | Kay Tilebein |
| Shirley Grant | Catherine Urkew |
| Craig Harnischfeger | John Velekkakan |
| Miriam Harnischfeger | David R. Williams |
- and all others in need of our prayers

Stewardship: If the only prayer you say in your entire life is ‘Thank you,’ that would suffice. - Meister Eckhart, O.P., 14th century Mystic

Talent: Thanks to Laurie and Emily Cordaro, Patty and Jennifer Buskey and Kathleen Patterson who fold and “stuff” our bulletins each week.

Stewardship...Live It!

Treasure for January 22 and 23, 2011

Parishioner households using envelopes contributed:	\$4,842.25
Visitors & Others contributed:	\$359.35
5 Children using envelopes contributed:	\$8.00
2 Children’s good deeds was given to God	
2nd Collection for Fuel:	\$1,375.00
Miscellaneous Additional Funds:	\$163.76
Weekend Attendance:590

PREPARATION IS BEGINNING

As English-speaking Catholics, we are preparing to receive the new translation of the Roman Missal in November of this year. The Roman Missal contains all the prayers and instructions we use at the celebration of the Eucharist. The way we celebrate Mass will not change, but many of the words we use will. The new translation will reflect a more accurate translation of the Latin from which the text is taken, and it will employ language in our prayer that is dignified, solemn and beautiful, and conveys the sacredness we celebrate.

As part of our preparation for our reception of the new texts, we will spend several weeks between now and Advent talking about the Order of the Mass. Next week we will begin by talking about the Introductory Rites.

LEARN YOUR CATHOLIC IDENTITY

The talks at this year’s Men’s Retreat at Notre Dame include:

- 1 What is My Catholic Identity?
2. What destroys my Catholic identity?
3. What nourishes and nurtures my Catholic identity?
4. How do I display my Catholic identity?

Remember: you deserve break a break today!! So get up and get away to Notre Dame the weekend of March 4-6. The sign up sheet is in the rear of Church or call Gene Krist @ 392-9809, Frank Hubbell @ 392-3824 or Neil Combs @ 392-3990.

LADIES OF THE PARISH

Did you read the above article? You too, have an opportunity and an obligation to increase your faith life and spirituality at the Annual St. Leo **Women’s Retreat** on October 28-30 also at the Notre Dame Retreat House in Canandaigua. Mark your calendars now and join St. Leo women and women from several other parishes for this inspiring retreat. Take time for yourself to renew and rejuvenate your Spirit. The talks are wonderful, the food is great, and there is plenty of free time to enjoy the beautiful surroundings or find a quiet corner to spend in prayer. For information or to register call Mary Ann Hubbell at 392-3824.

SIGNS OF THE SEASON

Sign (buried in snow) outside St. Joseph Church in Milford, IA:
“Whoever is praying for snow, please stop!”

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Let us remember in prayer all those who have died recently, including
Vincent Tumbiolo, cousin of Fr. Joe Catanise,
Marian Perry, cousin of Leanna Hale and Betty Murphy;
Marie Riley, aunt of Martha Godshalk; *Alice Klatt*, *Shirley Male*,
Douglas Turpyn, Sr. *Marie Stanislaus*, SSJ
and all our departed relatives and friends.

INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER FOR FEBRUARY

GENERAL—That the family may be respected by all in its identity and that its replaceable contribution to all of society be recognized.

MISSION—That in the mission territories where the struggle against disease is most urgent, Christian communities may witness to the presence of Christ to those who suffer.

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Loving and merciful God, You are the Lord of new beginnings. You sent us Your Son so that we may begin anew and enjoy new life in Your Spirit. We ask you to bless this new year, to guide and direct our plans, and to show us how to find the resources necessary to carry out these plans. Give us the wisdom to take advantage of opportunities we may have to help and serve others, to bring peace to the hearts of those who are troubled, and hope to those who suffer. Help us approach this new year as good stewards of your abundant gifts, with an awareness of your daily presence, and the obedient spirit we need to be your faithful servants. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

WHO ARE THE POOR?

There are almost as many poor children living in the suburbs as there are in urban areas. The most persistent and prevalent poverty in our country is found in remote rural areas. Almost half of all Americans will have experienced poverty for over a year or more at some point in their lives by the time they reach age 60. In Monroe County 13% of the total population lives in poverty.

February 13 is Public Policy Weekend. Petitions will be available for our signatures asking our legislators to give priority to programs that preserve and promote employment, subsidies for child care and transportation for low-income workers.

GRACE UNDER PRESSURE

During his sermon one Sunday morning, a pastor's five-year-old son suddenly entered the church, started making loud beeps and noises like a car without a muffler, then "drove" down the center aisle toward his father. The pastor stopped his sermon, pointed at his son, and commanded, "Luke, park your car immediately beside your mother in that front pew, turn off the ignition, and hand her the keys." He then continued the sermon undisturbed.

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MASS SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Monday - St. John Bosco, priest
5:30 PM Intentions of Martha Nichols on her 50th Birthday (Sharon Prince)

Tuesday - Weekday
8:30 AM Kathie Lenhart (Gail Phillips and Carole Munger)

Wednesday - The Presentation of the Lord
8:30 AM James Keys (Tom and Jenny Brady)

Thursday - St. Blaise, bishop and martyr; St. Ansgar, bishop
8:30 AM - For the Intentions and Healing of Dale Mattison (Sharon Prince)

Friday - Weekday
8:30 AM Communion Service

Saturday - St. Agatha, virgin and martyr
5:00 PM To Honor Our Lady of Lourdes (Rosary Society)

Sunday - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM Jerry Maiorani (Ron and Laurie Gavigan)
10:30 AM Members of the DeMartino, Iaco and Venizio Families
6:00 PM William Young (wife, Sandy and Family)

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Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday : 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Sunday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

MINISTRY TO THE SICK: Please contact the Parish Office, 392-2710, concerning the needs of the sick, hospitalized or shut-ins. Those unable to attend Mass regularly will have Holy Communion brought to their homes.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Those who choose to worship regularly with us are invited and welcome to formally join our parish community offering your time, talent and financial support. Please call the Parish Office, 392-2710 to register.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION - On-going education for Pre-School through adults.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS:

(R.C.I.A.) Our faith community invites anyone who is interested in becoming Catholic or wishes to complete their initiation into the Catholic Church by receiving Eucharist and/or Confirmation. Please contact Deacon Bill Lenhart at 392-2710x3 then 7.

SACRAMENT OF MINISTERIAL PRIESTHOOD (HOLY ORDERS) Interested in serving the People of God? To proclaim the Gospel, preside at Liturgies, see Fr. Joe. If interested in becoming a Deacon, see Fr. Joe or Deacon Bill.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Contact the Parish Office, 392-2710, as soon as you become engaged.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Contact Deacon Bill six months before the anticipated birth date. Parent class required.

WILLS: Please remember St. Leo Church in your will to ensure the future of our Catholic tradition.

SCRIPTURE CORNER

Do you want to spend time in prayer each day?

A good way to begin is to read or reread the daily Scripture readings. Prepare for Mass by taking a few moments to read the Scripture readings Readings for the week of January 30, 2011

Sunday: Zep 2:3, 3:12-13/1 Cor 1:26-31/
Mt 5:1-12a

Monday: Heb.:11:32-40/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: Heb 12:1-4/Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40

Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Heb 13:1-8/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: Is 58:7-10/1 Cor: 2:1-5/Mk 5:13-16

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DEFINE THAT FOR ME

Mosquito: An insect that makes you like flies better.
 Raisin: A grape with a sunburn.
 Secret: Something you tell to one person at a time.
 Skeleton: A bunch of bones with the person scraped off.
 Toothache: The pain that drives you to extraction.
 Tomorrow: One of the greatest labor-saving devices of today.
 Yawn: An honest opinion openly expressed.
 Wrinkles: Something other people have. Similar to my character lines.

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'God is the most lovable of all things, and meditation on God's nature is the strongest incentive there is to love and devotion; but because our minds are not strong in themselves, we need to be led by knowledge, and so to love God by way of the world we sense, and above all by thinking of Christ the man, so that by seeing God with our eyes we can be lifted up to love what we cannot see."

— St. Thomas Aquinas

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 Thurs. 2 PM-8 PM
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