

*Saint Lawrence the Martyr Parish  
Saint Philip, Secondary Mission Church*



*Solemnity  
Of  
The Most  
Holy  
Trinity*

*Rev. Thomas Trocchio - Pastor  
Deacon Paul McCoy - Deacon Assistant*

## **\*Contact Information\***

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### Parish Office

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### Office Hours

8:00 am till 1:00 pm  
Monday thru Thursday

### Faith Formation

Co-Faith Formation Facilitators  
Carrie Sawin - 814-440-0487  
Criss Rotko - 814-449-0192

### Parish Custodian/Maintenance

Jim Mitchell  
Brian Lindsey

### Parish Center/Rental Information

Renae Mihalak - 814-756-3623

### St. James Cemetery

Manager - Greg Petrus

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## **\*Mass Schedule\***

### Weekend Masses

Saturday @ 5:00 pm at St. Lawrence  
Sunday @ 8:00 am at St. Philip  
Sunday @ 10:00 am at St. Lawrence

### Weekday Masses

All at St. Lawrence  
Tuesday & Wednesday - 8:00am  
Thursday & Friday - 12:00pm  
No Mass on Monday

### Holy Hour

Thursday After the Noon Mass  
Except Thursdays Before a First Friday  
St. Lawrence Church

### First Friday

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

### Reconciliation

Thursday During Holy Hour at St. Lawrence  
12:45-1:15

Saturday - 4:15pm to 4:45pm at St. Lawrence  
Sunday - 7:30am at St. Philip



## *Mass Intentions For The Week*

**Monday, June 16  
Weekday**

**\*No Mass\***

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**Tuesday, June 17  
Weekday**

**8:00 AM † Dennis Sullivan  
( Jim & Norella Consedine )**

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**Wednesday, June 18  
Weekday**

**8:00 AM † Shirley Weidner  
( Bob & Pat Kaleida )**

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**Thursday, June 19  
Weekday**

**12:00 PM - Rick, Vickie & Liz Mesley  
( Mesley Family )**

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**Friday, June 20  
Weekday**

**12:00 PM † Jeff Ferrick  
( Jim & Norella Consedine )**

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**Saturday, June 21  
Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious**

**\*At St. Lawrence\***

**5:00 PM † Adam & Mary Stankiewicz & Amy Work  
( Jackie Stankiewicz )**

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**Sunday, June 22  
The Most Holy Body And Blood Of Christ  
-Corpus Christi-**

**\*At St. Philip\***

**8:00 AM † Richard Pavolko  
( Jim & Norella Consedine )**

**\*At St. Lawrence\***

**10:00 AM † Living & Deceased Members of  
St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church**

The Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary,  
is prayed every Saturday at St. Lawrence Church,  
beginning at 4:30, just before the 5:00 Mass.

~Mary invites all her children to pray her Rosary~

# June 15, 2025 - The Most Holy Trinity



## Rerum Novarum No. 3

This week, we will take a closer look at the last 4 themes of Rerum Novarum, some key solutions proposed, and why Rerum Novarum still matters today.

### The Role of the State

The state has a fundamental duty to uphold justice and protect the rights of all citizens, especially the poor and vulnerable. The state must not overreach by stripping individuals and communities of their rightful responsibilities or freedoms, such as private property. Government intervention is justified when necessary to ensure fair wages, regulate working hours, and safeguard public welfare. Government should also follow the principle of subsidiarity, allowing smaller groups to handle matters they are capable of managing.

### The Church's Role

Pope Leo XIII established and firmly defended the Church's moral authority to promote justice in public life. The Church plays a crucial role in addressing social issues by teaching moral truths, fostering charity, and supporting organizations that aid the needy.

### Rejection of Socialism

Socialism presents a false solution that ultimately harms those it claims to help. By abolishing private property and concentrating power in the state, it violates natural rights and disrupts social order. Rather than embracing socialism, Pope Leo XIII advocates for reforms that uphold private property, individual freedom, and human dignity as the foundations of a just society.

### Call for Collaboration

Pope Leo XIII calls on all sectors of society; workers, employers, the state, and the Church to unite in fostering justice and reducing class conflict. He envisions a society built on mutual respect, fair policies, and a shared commitment to the common good.

Here is a summary of the key solutions as proposed by Rerum Novarum:

- **Just Wages** – wages should be sufficient to support a worker and their families, not just bare survival.
- **Worker Association** – Unions and trade groups should be encouraged to give workers a collective voice.
- **Limited Work Hours** – Excessive work hours damage workers' health and family life, so limits should be set.
- **Protection for the Vulnerable** – Special consideration should be given to women and children in the workplace.
- **Charity and Solidarity** – The wealthy, along with the Church, should actively support the poor.

### Why It Matters Today

Rerum Novarum remains highly relevant. It addresses enduring issues of economic inequality, workers' rights, and the balance between individual freedom and collective responsibility. This encyclical speaks to modern challenges such as wage gaps, job security, and the ethical concerns surrounding capitalism. It offers a balanced alternative to both laissez-faire economics and socialism, prioritizing human dignity over profits or illogical extremes.

Have a very blessed and faith-filled week.

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



## JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #3979

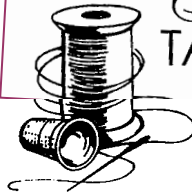
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## St. Lawrence/St. Philip Faith Formation

Sundays 9:00 - 10:00 Mass  
K through 11

To register contact:

Carrie Sawin - 814-440-0487  
Criss Rotko - 814-449-0192



## Ministries

Serve The Lord And  
Serve The Parish As An:

Altar Server  
Students grade 4 and up

Lector  
Post confirmation Adults

Greeter  
High school students and up

Contact Parish Office  
If You Are Interested  
756-3623

## Your CHOIR Needs YOUR Voice

- \* to lead the singing of the Assembly
- \* to embellish the music of the liturgy
- \* to become a future cantor

Consider becoming a member TODAY!



**Maripat Kitchen - Choir Director**

"Those who sing pray twice!"  
~St. Augustine

## 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



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

## Please Check One

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

### **~Prayer Requests ~**

**Please Keep The Following  
People In Your Prayers**

Judy Diehl  
Jim Bernoski  
Marilyn Madden  
Jon Reibel  
Mike Sawin  
Andrew Segal  
Bill Pavolko  
Judy Graham  
Bob Pacansky  
Kathy (Hudacky) Oswald  
Eddie LaCastro  
Bob Stewart  
Philip Kleckner  
Craig  
Fran Harrington  
Joseph Sharpe  
Jim & Norella Consedine  
Tim Smock  
Dee  
Rachel  
John & Sharon Shultz  
Dale  
Renee  
Bob Cochran  
Alice Goodwill  
Rob Leninsky  
Donald DiFiori  
Darcy Paradise  
Gary Proske  
Brother Matthew Joseph Levis, O.de.M  
Jordyn Scott  
Our Homebound Parishioners  
Intentions In Our Prayer Box

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

### **It's Picnic Season!**

**We are in need of a group of people  
to make up a committee to schedule  
and organize our Parish Picnic this year!**

**If you are interested,  
please call the Parish Office and let us know.**



### **~ Monday Night Bingo ~**

**St. Lawrence Parish Center  
Doors/Concessions Open at 5:30  
Games Begin at 6:30**

**Jackpot... \$1,000  
in 51 balls or less  
Come Join The Fun!!**



### **\*Offertory Gift Bearers\* St. Lawrence**

Saturday, June 14 - Norma Jafko/Paul King  
Sunday, June 15 - Marie Lavor/Grace Seneta

Saturday, June 21 - Marge Mayer/Pat Thompson  
Sunday, June 22 - Victor & Andrea Morini

Saturday, June 28 - Chris & Peg Balogh  
Sunday, June 29 - Bill & Elsie Mundkowsky

### **St. Philip**

Sunday, June 15 - Cotton Family  
Sunday, June 22 - Pavolko Family  
Sunday, June 29 - Pavolko Family  
Sunday, July 6 - Pavolko Family

### **\*Lector Schedule\* St. Lawrence**

Saturday, June 21 - Carrie Sawin  
Sunday, June 22 - Carl Pry

Saturday, June 28 - Patricia Thompson  
Sunday, June 29 - Grace Seneta

Saturday, July 5 - Marge Mayer  
Sunday, July 6 - Criss Rotko

Saturday, July 12 - Carrie Sawin  
Sunday, July 13 - Carl Pry

### **St. Philip**

Sunday, June 22 - Patty Pavolko  
Sunday, June 29 - Kimberly Boal  
Sunday, July 6 - Erinn Wnek  
Sunday, July 13 - Robert Wnek

**If you are unable to read on your assigned day,  
please find someone to take your place.**

## Activities This Week At St. Lawrence-St. Philip Church

Monday, June 16      \*Bingo - 6:30 pm  
Doors Open at 5:30 pm  
St. Lawrence Parish Center

                             \*AA Meeting - 8 pm  
St. Lawrence Parish Center

Wednesday, June 17      \*AA Meeting - 8 pm  
St. Lawrence Parish Center

## Your Parish Needs You!

Our Monday Night Bingo fundraiser, is in need of additional help! This fundraiser helps provide our parish with funds needed to keep our church financially sound. You could be a regular worker, or just someone to fill in when needed.

Most important, we are looking for someone to be a Caller. It could be you, or maybe someone you know. We will train and support anyone interested in this position. The Caller would begin the night around 5:00 until the end of the evening around 9:30.

We also need Sales Table help. Again we would train you. Time involved would be from 5:15 until approximately 6:45.

We are also in need of Tear-Off, Instant Ticket Sales and Bingo Call Back help. These people would start around 5:15 and stay until after the intermission at approximately 8:15.

Please consider helping your parish continue to stay thriving, by helping this team of volunteers for just a few hours on a Monday Night!



Thank you everyone who took the time to came out last Sunday morning to celebrate Fr. Tom's 10th Anniversary. Cake and goodies were served, and a good time was had by all!  
**CONGRATULATIONS Fr. Tom!!**

## Knight News- 2025 Baby Bottle Fundraiser

Please remember to turn in all baby bottles and envelopes by next weekend, June 21 and 22.  
**Thank You!**

## ~Sacrificial Giving ~ June 7/8

Weekly Envelopes - \$ 2,036.00  
Loose/Guests - \$ 439.00

Envelopes Registered - 121  
Envelopes In This Week - 55

**Weekly Budget Goal**  
**\$ 3,750.00**

**Thank You!**



Friends, I would like to sincerely thank everyone who sent a card, a gift, and/or kept me in their prayers, in honor of my Birthday, and for my 10th Anniversary of my Ordination. Your thoughtfulness and generosity is greatly appreciated.

Thank you also to those who brought in Hosta's for me. I received many beautiful varieties, and I am grateful.

-Fr. Tom