



# ST. LEO THE GREAT

## PARISH & SCHOOL

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
October 16, 2016

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### SCHOOL HOURS:

Monday through Friday/School Day ~ 8:00AM—2:45PM

Main Office ~ 7:30AM—3:30PM

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### WEEKENDS

Saturday Vigil ~ 4:00PM

Sundays ~ 8:00AM, 10:00AM and 12NOON

#### WEEKDAYS

Monday through Thursday ~ 7:30AM

Friday ~ 8:30AM

#### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

7:00AM, 8:30AM (SCHOOL YEAR ONLY) and 7:00PM

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Individual confessions are heard on Saturday, from 2:45PM—3:30PM or anytime by appointment.

### NEW TO THE PARISH? WELCOME!

New parishioners and those moving from the parish or changing address are asked to contact the Rectory office.

### BAPTISMS

Parents desiring Baptism for their children are asked to contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Preparations and arrangements must be made at least 6 months in advance with a priest. Only then can a wedding date be confirmed.

### INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

If you are curious about becoming Catholic or have questions about the Catholic Faith, please call the Rectory.



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**PLEASE REMEMBER...** Margaret Zisk, Sarah

Grier, Edward P. Gorczyca, Carol Sladewski, Betty Jayne Glover, Bob McLaughlin, Stella Sugalski, Robert Holshue, Donna Mlady, Mike Manzo, Cheri Minch, Theresa Pauloski, Annamae Sironen, Carol Frisco, Dorothy Forister, Ann Sazpansky, Larry Kuznik, Rosemarie Hamski, Jo Hoffman, Anna Mendoza, John Risko, Connor Mlady, Glenn "Joe" Hess, Dianne Soler, Muffie Bone, Theresa Truxall, Gary LaBuda, Mary Ras, Janene Catanese, Denise Rooks, Bernice Kilcoyne, Jeanette Klaehn, Donna Robertson, Theresa Kowal & Trudy Miller.



### REGISTER WITH US



Have you moved into the area recently? Or have you been joining us for Mass? We would love to have you as a registered member of our parish family. It will take just a couple minutes of your time. Stop back at the information desk in the vestibule of the church, at the rectory office, or call 216-661-1006.



**GREAT SWEEPSTAKES**  
CONGRATULATIONS TO  
**ED BALLAUER**  
**\$100.00 October 10th Winner**

Don't forget to sign up for our **NEW Great Sweepstakes weekly drawing starting Monday, November 14th.** Forms are available at the Information Desk in the Church, Rectory Office, or on the last page of this week's bulletin.

Every week we pray for those discerning a vocation in religious life.

This week we pray for:

**James Kulway**  
**St. Joseph, Strongsville**  
**V Theology, St. Mary**

Pray that he may continue to persevere and that others may respond to God's call.



**PARISH SUPPORT**  
**Sunday, October 9, 2016**

Sunday Collection.....	\$7,091.76
Assessments.....	\$180.00
Envelopes used.....	343

**Thank you for your continued support.**



**October 17th to October 23rd**

**Monday, October 17th: St. Ignatius of Antioch**

7:30 a.m. Joseph Krakora (Joyce Krakora)

**Tuesday, October 18th: St. Luke**

7:30 a.m. +Addison Anderson (Joyce Krakora)

**Wednesday, October 19th: SS John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues, & Companions**

7:30 a.m. Joyce Krakora (Joyce Krakora)

**Thursday, October 20th: St. Paul of the Cross**

7:30 a.m. Martin & Miriam Fontaine (Miriam)

**Friday, October 21st: Weekday**

8:30 a.m. +Benjamin Hochman (Family)

**Saturday, October 22nd: St. John Paul II**

4:00 p.m. Seniors

**Sunday, October 23rd: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. +Donald Khoma (Burns Family)

10:00 a.m. +Richard Bunosky (Jerome & Gail Bresnahan)

12:00 p.m. People of the Parish

### First Reading: Ex 17:8-13

The book of Exodus tells of the Israelites' escape from Egypt and their journey to the Promised Land. Along the way, they often had to battle local tribes who tried to keep them from passing through their territory. Today we hear an account of one such incident.

### Second Reading: Tm 3:14-4:2

In today's reading from second Timothy, the author continues to warn against false teaching. This passage also provides the biblical foundation for our belief about the inspiration of the Bible.

### PARISH COMMUNITY CENTER

**GREAT ROOM  
FOR RENT**

The Great Room in our Parish Community Center is available to **rent for special events, parties, meetings, funeral luncheons, etc.**

For information or to book, please contact Mina Rolando at 216-544-0190 or visit our website at [leothegreat.org](http://leothegreat.org). There you will find information, prices and forms.

### 2017 MASS INTENTION BOOK



The 2017 Mass Intention Book is open. Each parishioner household may have 4 Mass Intentions (one weekend and three weekdays). The Mass stipend is \$10.00.

FROM THE  
PASTOR'S DESK



Dear Parishioners,

In this bulletin is our annual Financial Report along with a letter I wrote to summarize our financial situation. I hope you take a couple of minutes to read it and to look at the financial report itself, but here's a quick summary of the summary: Expenses will always go up but gratefully we are able to keep up because of your contributions and willingness to participate in various fundraisers throughout the year. There is a lot of work needed to keep our buildings and grounds in good shape & we keep making improvements on both each year. More details are in the letter. Soon I will be speaking about the ability you will have to make automatic electronic contributions. It will be an option so you can still use envelopes if you choose, but choice is always good. Thanks again to the Finance Council & to all of you for your good stewardship here at St. Leo's.

My fellow priests and I enjoyed the time we could spend with each other last week. A Franciscan priest gave some great talks, we were given more information concerning the future personnel issues we will face as a Diocese, and we were able to feel the support of one another in our shared ministry of priesthood. As preachers, it's good to listen to a fellow priest share his stories of faith so that we can return to do the same in our parishes. Thanks for your prayers while we were away.

On Sunday mornings, those of us who have been meeting in the Parish Center spend a few minutes discussing the scripture readings from Mass, and at the same time, learn more about our Catholic Faith. Everyone is welcome to join us at 9am. We usually conclude a few minutes before 10am for those who want to attend Mass afterward.

Our parish archivist, John Sabol, found a flyer from our festival in 1959! The big meal on Friday night? A Fish Fry! The price? \$1.25 for adults & \$0.75 for children under 12. I could have bought 10 meals back then for the price of one today. The Entertainment for Saturday night? Tommy Carson of WJW's "Police Beat." Never heard of him. Extra attractions? The sale of dolls! The flyer said that the women of the parish who dressed up the dolls in costume gowns would rival those of the women in the Paris fashions. How many of our female parishioners make clothing for dolls today? But here is something I would have liked to win: "A beautiful Two-Toned Blue 1959 Buick LeSabre 4 Door Sudan." Cost of the tickets? \$0.25 or 5 for \$1.00. I wish we had a 1959 Buick LeSabre to raffle off today but all we have is a \$5000.00 prize. I'd still take that. Someone told me that Fr. Lux, our first Pastor, got complaints when his ticket was chosen & he won the new car! His response? "I put my dollar in like everyone else!" So now I have my answer when I win the \$5000.

*Fr. Jim Schmitz*

THIS WEEK AT ST. LEO'S  
October 10th to October 16th



**Monday, October 17th—NO SCHOOL**

5:00 p.m. 4th gr. girls volleyball practice	Lux
6:45 p.m. PSR	School
7:00 p.m. 8th gr. girls volleyball practice	Lux

**Tuesday, October 18th**

8:30 a.m. SVDP packing/receiving	Church
5:30 p.m. 6th gr. girls volleyball practice	Lux
6:45 p.m. Girl Scouts #70220	Great

**Wednesday, October 19th**

5:00 p.m. 4th gr. girls volleyball practice	Lux
5:30 p.m. Cub Scouts—Pack Meeting	Eylar
6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts #71720	Francis
6:30 p.m. Winter Sports sign-up	Lux
7:00 p.m. 8th gr. girls volleyball practice	Lux
7:00 p.m. Choir practice	Church

**Thursday, October 20th**

1:00 p.m. Women's Knitting Group	Francis
4:00 p.m. Cohort Training	Great
5:30 p.m. 6th gr. Girls volleyball practice	Lux

**Friday, October 21st**

7:30 p.m. Recovery International	Francis
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**Saturday, October 22nd**

8:00 a.m. Couples for Christ	Great
2:45 p.m. Confessions	Church
3:00 p.m. Grapevine	Great

**Sunday, October 23rd**

8:00 a.m. Couples for Christ	Eylar
9:00 a.m. Faith Formation/RCIA	Great
10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Preschool Open House	Great
7:00 p.m. Coach Robinson Open Gym	Great

TAIZE

WHERE? ST. LEO PARISH  
WHEN: OCT. 26TH 7:30-8:30PM

DOORS WILL OPEN AT 7:25  
PLEASE ENTER IN SILENCE  
WHY? TO ADORE JESUS AND  
LEAVE COMPLETELY CHANGED.



St John Paul II  
*Feast Day, October 22*





**ST. LEO THE GREAT**  
PARISH & SCHOOL

October 10, 2016

Dear Parishioners of St. Leo the Great,

Along with this letter you will find the Summary Financial Report for fiscal year 2015-16 included in this bulletin. I am happy to report good news regarding our finances and to provide you with an opportunity to make your contributions electronically if you so choose.

Despite keeping up with rising maintenance costs as well as making many capital improvements, we ended the fiscal year (July 1, 2015-June 30, 2016) with a surplus of over \$31,000. This was possible due to your continued generous contributions and to the hard work of our fundraising efforts such as the Parish Festival, Fish Fry's, Sweepstakes tickets and the sale of Gift Cards. The rental of the Parish Community Center has also been beneficial financially and helpful to those looking for a space for family gatherings. I must also acknowledge the leadership efforts of our Principal, Sister Erin Zubal, and the dedicated work of our school's faculty and staff.

Much work was done inside of our school building this past year with 4 classrooms in the lower level being transformed from storage rooms to useful spaces for tutoring which allowed us to remove the mobile unit from the back of the parking lot and open up that space. We also had new carpet, lights, and electrical work done in the basement of the school building and added more safety features such as security cameras and smoke alarms. The Preschool area (2nd floor of the Parish Community Center) was painted for free (thanks to Sherwin Williams) and recarpeted (thanks to a generous donation from parishioners). Outside a new fence was installed in the back of the Parish Community Center where the Preschool children play. New sidewalks and curbs have replaced the crumbling ones, large areas of the parking lot were repaired and trees were trimmed or removed. New windows are gradually being installed in the rectory as the budget permits.

Again, in the coming weeks we are going to make available an electronic giving option where funds from your bank or credit card can be automatically used for your contributions. Many have requested this but those more comfortable using the supplied envelopes can continue to do so. More information on this will be forthcoming.

My sincere thanks to the members of the Finance Council and to all who join in the effort to help us be good stewards of God's material blessings to us. Please feel free to ask me any questions you may have and know that I remain grateful for your financial support of our parish mission to proclaim the Kingdom of God.

*Fr. Jim Schmitz*


**SUMMARY FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**ST. LEO THE GREAT, CLEVELAND**  
**FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 2015 and JUNE 30, 2016**

	Budget		
	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016/2017
<b>Parish Receipts:</b>			
Offerory Collections	478,500	468,311	454,500
Other Collections	21,878	21,712	23,100
Donations & Bequests	7,326	36,453	0
Net Fund Raising Income	10,817	31,070	28,300
Income from Parish Programs	19,262	25,144	19,900
Investment & Endowment Income	1,800	1,626	0
Miscellaneous Receipts (Includes RIF)	16,821	17,273	9,400
Designated Collections	15,671	15,119	15,500
Other Extraordinary Receipts	0	0	0
<b>Total Parish Receipts</b>	<b>\$572,077</b>	<b>\$616,707</b>	<b>\$550,700</b>
<b>Parish Disbursements:</b>			
Salaries, Benefits, & Taxes	261,473	274,107	288,275
Rectory & Household	29,752	33,561	30,000
Parish Office & Administration	61,975	59,978	61,150
Altar, Sanctuary, & Liturgical	21,987	24,655	26,000
Community Outreach	17,199	17,267	17,000
Religious Education & Evangelization	5,251	5,462	5,500
Stewardship & Evangelization	214	795	1,000
Utilities	37,430	35,919	39,000
Insurance & Property Taxes	19,080	20,220	22,000
Maintenance, Repairs, & Plant Operating	57,614	44,069	50,500
Diocesan Assessments	55,734	55,404	55,000
Designated Collections	13,074	15,653	17,573
Capital Disbursements	42,323	27,365	19,500
<b>Total Parish Disbursements</b>	<b>\$623,106</b>	<b>\$614,455</b>	<b>\$632,498</b>
<b>TOTAL PARISH SURPLUS (DEFICIT)</b>	<b>(\$51,028)</b>	<b>\$2,253</b>	<b>(\$81,798)</b>
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL PARISH DATA</b>	<b>2014/2015</b>	<b>2015/2016</b>	
Number of Households	1769	1751	
<b>STATISTICAL INFORMATION</b>			
Baptisms	30	30	
First Communion	33	40	
Confirmations	33	40	
Marriages	6	7	
Deaths	50	47	
Day School Enrollment	210	202	
Parish School of Religion	71	71	
Preschool Enrollment	19	32	
<b>School Receipts</b>			
Tuition & Fees	866,237	877,089	1,022,000
Government Assistance (incl. Mandated Services)	81,157	87,318	76,000
Donations & Bequests	7	0	0
Net Fund Raising	29,077	13,516	0
Net Pre-School & Latchkey	(19,647)	(438)	(5,961)
Other Student Receipts	4,632	(1,233)	6,000
Other School Income	568	552	750
<b>Total School Receipts</b>	<b>\$962,031</b>	<b>\$976,804</b>	<b>\$1,098,789</b>
<b>School Disbursements</b>			
Salaries, Benefits & Taxes	821,322	741,642	748,465
Instructional	9,536	9,474	15,200
Library	5,535	6,394	8,000
Utilities	59,229	51,796	63,600
Maintenance, Repairs & Plant Operating	60,432	42,358	56,000
Insurance & Property Taxes	20,105	19,860	21,000
Student Services	1,622	2,075	2,100
Administration	58,443	54,438	52,150
Capital Improvements	10,132	12,500	19,100
Other Extraordinary Disbursements	0	0	0
<b>Total School Disbursements</b>	<b>\$1,046,356</b>	<b>\$940,537</b>	<b>\$985,615</b>
<b>TOTAL SCHOOL SURPLUS (DEFICIT)</b>	<b>(84,325)</b>	<b>\$36,267</b>	<b>\$113,174</b>
<b>Parish and School Assets, Liabilities and Fund Principal</b>			
<b>June 30, 2015 and 2016</b>			
<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>		
Checking Accounts - Parish & School	530,886	563,778	
Savings & Investments - Parish & School	752,320	758,719	
Accounts Receivable	5,560	3,756	
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$1,288,766</b>	<b>\$1,326,253</b>	
<b>Accounts Payable &amp; Other Liabilities</b>			
Diocesan Assessments Payable	152,482	69,957	
Diocesan Benefits/ Insurance Payable	0	0	
Loans, Notes, & Mortgages Payable	0	0	
Total Liabilities	152,482	69,957	
Fund Principal	1,136,284	1,256,296	
<b>Total Liabilities and Fund Principal</b>	<b>\$1,288,766</b>	<b>\$1,326,253</b>	

Members of the Parish Finance Council:

Cheryl Nodge, Vicki Plata, Richard Riccardi, Kathy Schulz, Jackie Vance, Tom Vetrick






Pray and give generously

# World Mission Sunday

October 23, 2016

 The Society for the Propagation of the Faith  
a Pontifical Mission Society

### ST. LEO THE GREAT PRESCHOOL



St. Leo Preschool is having an **OPEN HOUSE AND SOCIAL** from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **NEXT Sunday, October 23rd.** Everyone is invited to see the beautifully renovated Preschool and the Preschoolers wonderful work.

Join us for coffee, juice and bakery. Our Preschool is located on the second floor of the Parish Community Center.

### ST. LEO THE GREAT SCHOOL BAND

Support our St. Leo the Great Band by purchasing a Schwan eGift Card or by selecting from over 350 delectable items from Schwan's Foods. Order online using the Band ID Number 29399 or contact a band member. Schwan's Foods will deliver directly to your home! Order online from Schwans-Cares.com, enter 29399 and shop. Sales will be taken from October 5th through November 19th. Thank you!



### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Did you ever run out of food and have a helpless feeling knowing that it would be awhile before you would receive money to buy more or unable to pay a utility bill because you just don't have the funds? Your answer is probably 'No, thank God' But there are people around us who would have to answer "Yes". The St. Vincent de Paul Outreach Organization assists those who answer "Yes", thanks to the people who answered "No", but said "Yes" to the Poor Boxes, located at the entrances of the Church, Thank You.

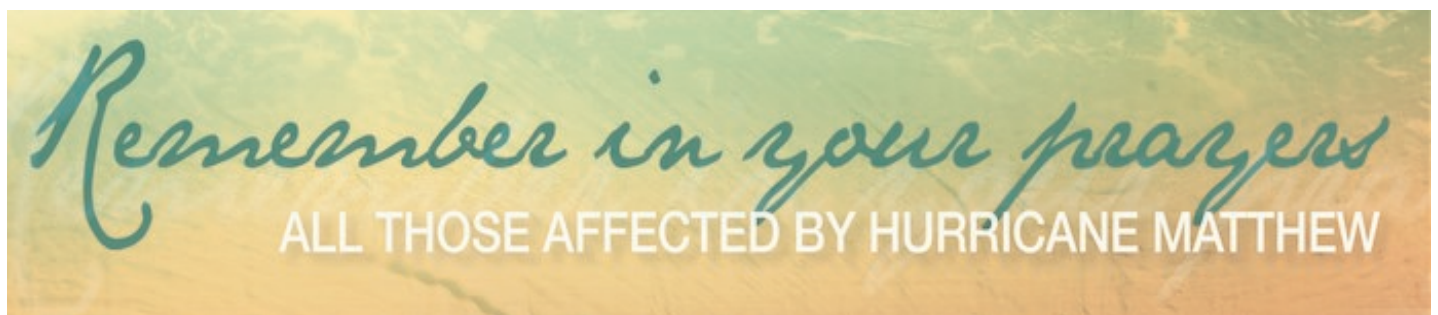


### FESTIVAL SPONSORS

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Gillombardo's Giant Eagle  
Golubski Funeral Home  
Betty Brite Cleaners

Thank you for helping make our Festival a success.





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PARISH & SCHOOL

# *The Great Sweepstakes*

*\$30 per ticket for a full years participation.*

You can W\$N Multiple Times November 14, 2016 thru November 10, 2017

## DRAWING DATES—\$100

2016

November 14, 21 & 28  
December 5, 12, 19 & 26

2017

January 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30  
February 6, 13, & 27  
March 6, 13, 20 & 27  
April 3, 10, 17 & 24



2017 (con't)

May 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29  
June 5, 12, 19 & 26  
July 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31  
August 7, 14, 21 & 28  
September 4, 11, 18 & 25  
October 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30  
November 6

## Special Drawings

## DRAWING DATES—\$200

New Years Day 2017  
President's Day 2017  
Mother's Day 2017



Father's Day 2017  
4th of July 2017

## SUPER Drawings

## DRAWING DATES—\$1000

Christmas Day 2016  
Easter Sunday 2017



St. Leo's Feast Day 2017



ST. LEO THE GREAT  
PARISH & SCHOOL

## *The Great Sweepstakes*

Please Print

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE & ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE & EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

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