

# St. Leo's Church

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## LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday evening 4:00 and 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 noon.  
Spanish Mass 6:30 p.m. on Saturdays  
2:00 p.m. on Sundays  
at Holy Trinity Chapel  
Brazilian & Portuguese Mass on Sundays  
7:30 p.m. at Anna Church  
Spanish Mass 11:00 a.m. on Sundays  
at St. Francis, Fitchburg

## WEEKDAY MASS

7:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m. Convent

## FRIDAYS

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament  
7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

## HOLY DAY MASSES

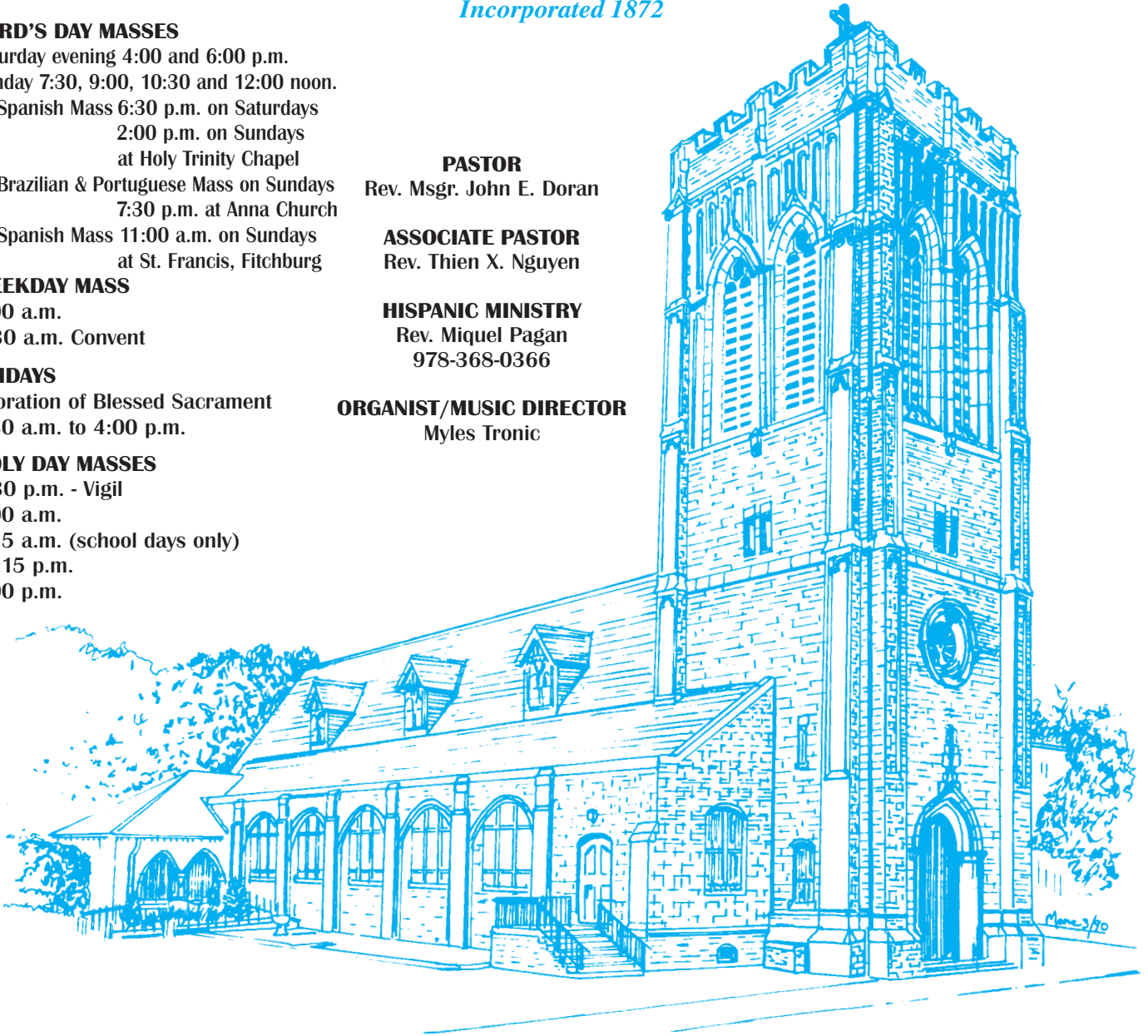
5:30 p.m. - Vigil  
7:00 a.m.  
9:15 a.m. (school days only)  
12:15 p.m.  
7:00 p.m.

**PASTOR**  
Rev. Msgr. John E. Doran

**ASSOCIATE PASTOR**  
Rev. Thien X. Nguyen

**HISPANIC MINISTRY**  
Rev. Miquel Pagan  
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**ORGANIST/MUSIC DIRECTOR**  
Myles Tronic



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**Sacrament of Baptism:** Please make arrangements in advance. Baptisms will be the Second Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m.

**Sacrament of Penance:** Saturdays 3:00-3:45 p.m.  
Eve of Holydays: 4:45 p.m. (weekdays only)

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding.

Saint Leo's School  
Mrs. Carolyn Polselli (Principal)  
120 Main Street  
537-1007  
[www.St-Leoschool.org](http://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.  
537-1194

# Mass Intentions

<b>SATURDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 18</b>
4:00 PM	Bernard Lamkin by wife & sons
6:00 PM	Alexander Scioli Family Deceased by Bridget
<b>SUNDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 19</b>
7:30 AM	Edwin & Bernice McCaffrey by family
8:30 AM	Ellie Raimon by family
9:00 AM	John Kenneth & John Michael Regan by family
10:30 AM	Dennis Swedberg by daughter & grandchildren
12:00 NN	Larry Guartafierro & Thomas Buckley by family
<b>MONDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 20</b>
7:00 AM	Yvette Maxfield by Ralph
8:30 AM	David B. Arsenault by family
<b>TUESDAY,.</b>	<b>JUNE 21</b>
7:00 AM	For the unborn children
8:30 AM	Raher & Shea Family Deceased
<b>WEDNESDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 22</b>
7:00 AM	
8:30 AM	Amedeo DiRusso by daughter
<b>THURSDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 23</b>
7:00 AM	
8:30 AM	Conversion of Sinners
<b>FRIDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 24</b>
7:00 AM	
8:30 AM	Souls in Purgatory
<b>SATURDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 25</b>
7:00 AM	For the people of St. Leo's
8:30 AM	Amideo Tocci Family Deceased by Bernie & Pat
4:00 PM	Fred & Virginia Gauthier by Marlene
6:00 PM	John Krysiak by family
<b>SUNDAY,</b>	<b>JUNE 26</b>
7:30 AM	Loretta Grudzicki by Corinie Shepherd
8:30 AM	G. Lillian Barron
9:00 AM	Intentions of John Sabra Family by family
10:30 AM	Dr. Charles Gerry
12:00 NN	Alfred LeBlanc by family

Wedding  Banns

3<sup>rd</sup> Banns  
Elizabeth Munoz &  
Jaun Cora

**PARISH SUPPORT. Last weekend our parishioners contributed \$7722 in Ordinary Support, \$2157 for Capital needs and \$42. For Catholic Communications. The latter appeal now stands at \$481. Thanks !!!!!**

## SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

**The increased giving initiatives began last fall continues to be successful thanks to the generosity of the parishioners of St. Leo's .In the first two weekends of June last year, our ordinary income was \$15,532. This year it is \$16,153 for the same period. Thanks!!!!**



## A CATHOLIC DAD

As we observe Father's day this weekend, Our Sunday Visitor has published a pamphlet entitled "Ten Things That Make for a Great Catholic Dad." The first is "Keep Holy the Lord's Day. And all Those Other Days." It speaks of being a good example to the family as a "keeper of the faith." The second is "Teach Your Children Faith." Dads nurture their own faith and then pass it on. Faith is best learned by example. Thirdly, "Don't Forget Forgiveness." Mistakes are allowed but we must learn from them as we seek forgiveness and to forgive. Fourthly, "Give and let GIVE." Let children see your generosity and willingness to serve. The Fifth thing is "Play and Have Fun." The joy of our faith should come through as we sing and read Bible stories." It doesn't have to be somber to be sacred," Rabbi David Wolpe reminds us. The sixth thing is "Get Caught Praying." Pray as a family at bed time. meals and special occasions. Doing so teaches others that we are in an on going conversation with God. The seventh suggestion is "Be Mr. Doesn't Know it all." We may not always have the answers in faith but we can say, "Let's look it up together." The eighth suggestion is "Might for Right." We are called to integrity and to stick to our Catholic values even if they go against the popular culture. Real dads enter into conversations about morality with their children. The ninth thing are "Let It Shine, Let It Shine." We must remind our children of their gifts and these gifts are to be cherished, celebrated and used for the good purposes of life. Let our children shine in ways they are most comfortable. The final suggestion is "Tradition." Hold on to devotions, novenas, rosaries, statues, Stations of the Cross and other sacramentals. By passing on those traditional practices, it teaches children that they are never alone.

## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY 2011



On June 13<sup>th</sup>, the Eighth Grade Class of St. Leo's School graduated and celebrated at a special Mass with their families, fellow students, faculty and guests. As the graduates move on to high school, our parish congratulates them and wishes them well at Leominster High School, St. Bernard's, St. John's, Nashoba, Lawrence Academy, Lunenburg High and Monty Tech. The members of this years' class are

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|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Kelsey Bedard,        | Mary Kwofie       |
| Julia Bonica          | Bradley Marcolini |
| Jeffery Casella       | Jenna McFaul      |
| Luke Dombroski        | Alyssa Oldfield   |
| Arthur Elbthal        | Briae Robillard   |
| Lucas Escobar         | Vivian Rodriguez  |
| Julie Gorski          | Alexander Sanders |
| Martin Heffler        | Dominic Sears     |
| Emily Holman          | Ryan Spencer      |
| Christopher Jollimore |                   |

## CONGRATULATIONS

# LITURGICAL + ROLES

WEEK OF JUNE 25 & 26

	<b>CELEBRANTS</b>	<b>LECTORS</b>	<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</b>	<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>
4:00 PM	Fr Nguyen	J.Gendron	J.Shannon,P.Lozeau,D.Lanciani,F.Joseph	B.Peterson,K.Burdett,E.Adams,M.Norton,S.Vincent
6:00 PM	Msgr. Doran	C.LeDuc	A.Bissonnette,K.Lambert,H.Bennett	D.Barrette,S.Koehler
7:30 AM	Msgr. Doran	M.Gendron	P.Morin,D.McCaffrey,N.Pierce	R.Fratantonio,A.Morin,S.Withers,Z.Belanger
9:00 AM	Msgr. Doran	E.Mederios	B.Maki,M.Olivier,D.Crowley	C&B.Hanlon,K&R.Domenichella J.McGown
10:30 AM	Msgr. Doran	B.LeBlanc	A.Doiron,P.Proitti,M.Marien,F.Marien	E.Cucchiara,J&J.Slarskey,M.O'Malley,E& L.Jenny
12:00 NN	Fr. Nguyen	K.Boudreau	D.Bean,D.Henderson,A.Doiron	E.Provencher,K&B.White,E.Baron,B.Coppinger

## PARTNERS IN CHARITY

The annual appeal for Partners in Charity is underway this month. This charity helps to fund 29 agencies and ministries throughout Worcester County and St. Leo's is a beneficiary of many of those services. Our school parents can receive grants-in-aid and campus ministry at Fitchburg State University receives support. Our retired priests and the Office of Religious Education (CCD) are supported as well. The overall goal this year is \$5 million and our parish goal is \$79,000 (up \$9,500 over last year.) To date we have received \$81,004.20. or 102% of our goal.

**Please be generous.**

St. Bernard's Elementary School, 254 Summer St, Fitchburg will host the annual Summer Carnival Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> through Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup>. In addition to the many amusement rides, food, exciting new games, the community is invited to Wristband Days (pay one price for unlimited rides) on Wednesday from 6 to 10PM and Saturday from 2 to 6PM. Hours for the carnival are Wednesday June 22 from 6 to 10PM, Thursday June 23<sup>rd</sup> from 6 to 10PM Friday June 24<sup>th</sup> from 6 to 11PM, and Saturday June 25<sup>th</sup> from 2 to 11PM.

## RECYCLING DAY!

At St. Cecilia's, 170 Mechanic St. Leominster on Saturday, June 25 from 9AM to 2PM. Do you have old TV's or computers that are just taking up space at home? Bring them to be recycled for the lowest rates around and help support St. Cecilia's church.

TELEVISIONS: \$10.00 EACH

TV'S OVER 20 INCES: \$15.00 EACH

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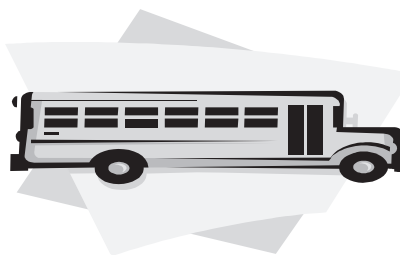
MISC. ELECTRONICS: \$5.00 EACH

KEYBOARD, CELL PHONES,SMALL

ELECTRONICS AND CAR BATTERIES: FREE!

**REDUCE, REUSE & RECYCLE!**

Our annual Altar Server Outing for active servers will be held on Monday June 27th. Once again we will be going to Canobie Lake Park and will leave our parking lot at 10AM and will return about 7:30PM. Permissions slips should be returned by June 26<sup>th</sup>.



**St. Leo's School, 120 Main Street, Leominster is accepting applications for our full or half day 3 year old and 4 year old pre-school programs. All Pre-school programs are offered 5 days or 3 days a week.**

**St. Leo is accepting full day kindergarten students. Limited openings are available in grades 1-8. Please visit our web page at [www.st-leoschool.com](http://www.st-leoschool.com). Or call 978-537-1007 to arrange a tour or email our Principal Carolyn Polselli at [cpolselli@gmail.com](mailto:cpolselli@gmail.com).**

**EXTENDED DAY CARE IS AVAILABLE.**

*JUNE 19, 2011*

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*Weekly Schedule*

SUNDAY, JUNE 19  
MONDAY, JUNE 20  
7:30PM MEN'S AA  
TUESDAY, JUNE 21  
7:00PM WOMEN'S AA  
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22  
THURSDAY, JUNE 23  
FRIDAY, JUNE 24  
10-5PM QUILT SHOW  
SATURDAY, JUNE 25  
10-3PM QUILT SHOW

**ITALIAN VISTAS**

Once again this year our parish in conjunction with Collette Vacations will be sponsoring a trip. Entitled "ITALIAN VISTAS," we will visit Rome, Florence, Pisa, Venice and many other sites from November 5-17. Price is \$3,939 ppdo and \$4539 for singles. The price includes airfare, hotels, transfers, guides, all breakfasts and most meals. Contact Msgr. Doran for a brochure or more information.



**MATERIAL GIRLS**  
**QUILT SHOW**  
JUNE 24-25, 2011  
FRIDAY 10-5PM  
SATURDAY 9-3PM  
ST. LEO'S AUDITORIUM  
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ADMISSION \$7.00  
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**BUILDING FUND**

St. Leo's Building Fund, which has made possible our new parish center, has now reached the total of \$1,702,550. This remarkable achievement is a credit to the loyal and generous parishioners and friends of St. Leo's. The debt on the \$4.5 million project is \$492,591. Thanks for your continued support.





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