

St. Leo's Church

128 MAIN STREET
LEOMINSTER, MASSACHUSETTS 01453

Incorporated 1872

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday evening 4:00pm
Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:00am.

Spanish Mass 6:00 p.m. on Saturdays
2:00 p.m. on Sundays at Holy

Trinity Chapel 69 Lincoln Terrace, Leominster,
MA .

Brazilian & Portuguese Mass on Sundays
6:30 p.m. at St. Anna Church
Spanish Mass 11:00 a.m. on Sunday 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

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

PASTOR

Rev. William E. Champlin

ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Rev. Diego Buritica

HISPANIC MINISTRY

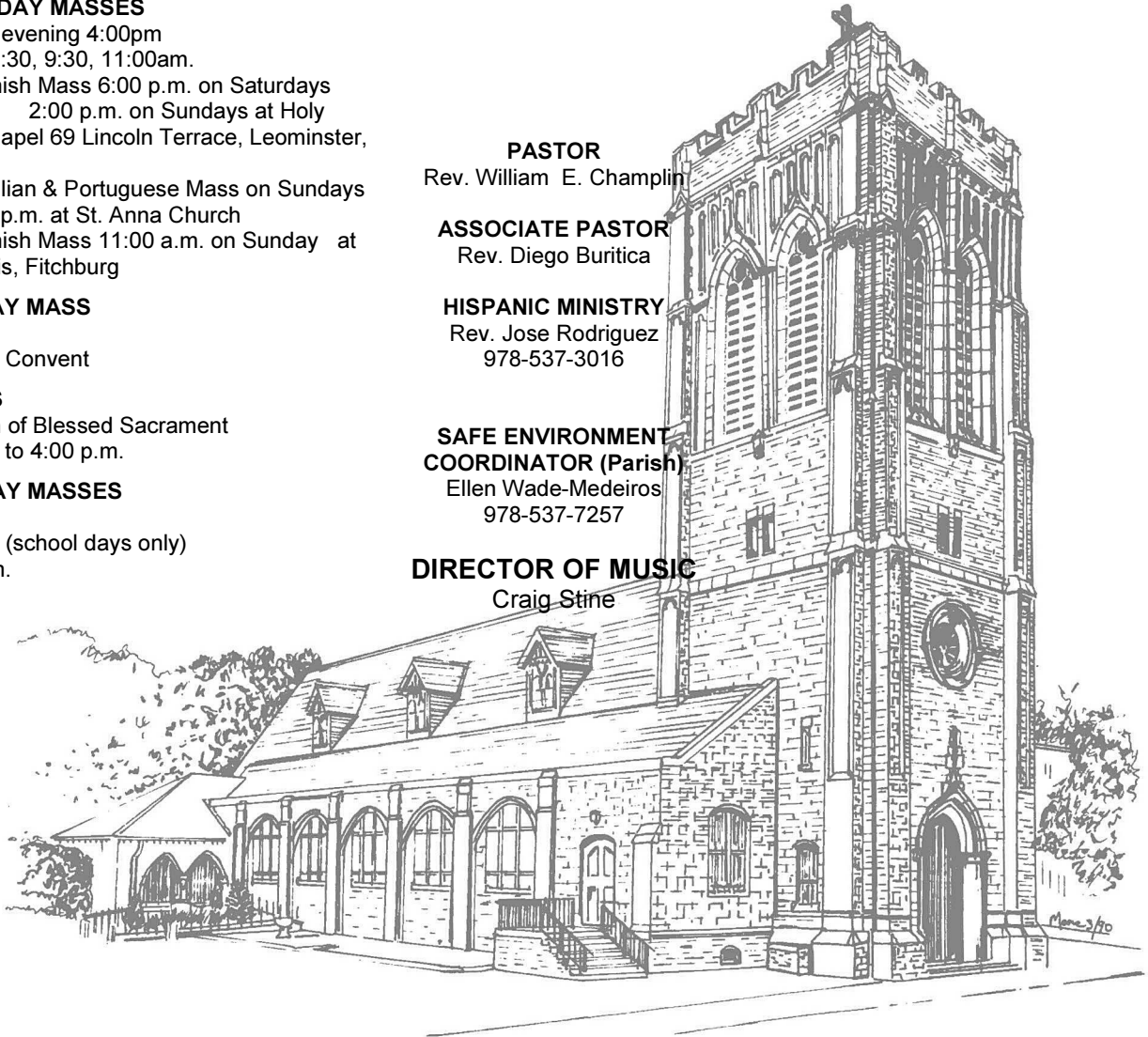
Rev. Jose Rodriguez
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DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Craig Stine



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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.

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.
537-1194
Ellen Wade-Medeiros



SATURDAY
JULY 16

7:00AM
8:30 AM Natalina Silva by family
4:00PM Dominick & Alice Montagna by Dennis & Joan



My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Here we are in mid-July! Summer is in full swing. People are taking their vacations. Schedules are a little different this time of year. People step away from their usual schedules to enjoy the beautiful summer weather. They visit places like Cape Cod, New Hampshire or Maine to get some rest and to enjoy the beautiful scenery.

There's no doubt that vacations are beneficial for us. A break from our regular routine is healthy for us. I hope that everyone has a chance to do something restful and out of the ordinary during the summer. Even a day trip to someplace different can make a change in our perspective on life.

Have a great week!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Bill



Eucharistic



Adoration

Adoration will resume on July 22, 2016!

Thank you for your patience and cooperation these last few weeks.



CONFIRMATION 2017

for High School Juniors and Seniors:

Information Meeting: Wed, August 17 @ 6PM in the Parish Center. Bring a parent or a sponsor.

JULY 17

SUNDAY,
7:30AM Renee Normandin & Dylan Burke Smith by John & Theresa
8:30AM Nathan Roberts 6th Anniv. by family
9:30AM Rocca Family by Susan
Edith Kinsey by Jack & Linda
11:00AM Larry Quartafierro by family

JULY 18

MONDAY,
7:00AM
8:30 AM Sr. Barbara Prinn

JULY 19

TUESDAY,
7:00 AM
8:30 AM Thomas, Maureen, Tommy & Ryan Jordan by family

JULY 20

WEDNESDAY
7:00 AM
8:30 AM Delibero Family deceased

JULY 21

THURSDAY,
7:00 AM
8:30AM John & Rose Bell & Family by family

JULY 22

FRIDAY,
7:00AM Kathy Bryant by Martin Lambert family (Month's Mind)
8:30AM Arthur & Doris G. Fournier, Sr.

JULY 23

SATURDAY
7:00AM
8:30AM Bob Gilhooly by family
4:00PM Joan Connell by brother

JULY 24

SUNDAY
7:30AM Lawrence Mitchell, 6th Anniv. By family
8:30AM Ralph Galletta by daughter
9:30AM Kathleen Flynn, 4th Anniv., by Helen Rafetry
11:00AM Pietro, Mariangela Coppola & Gertrude Coppola by family



Last weekend our parish community contributed \$4121.00 in ordinary support, and \$1421.00 for Capital Improvement. **Thanks for your continuing support! Especially during the summer months.**

THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Liturgical Roles

WEEK OF JULY 23 & JULY 24

LECTORS
 4:00 PM J. Gendron
 7:30 AM M. Fratantonio
 9:30 AM Mi. White
 11:00 AM R. Keating

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
 F. Joseph, K. Fraticelli, A. Bissonnette
 J. Mann, K. Lambert, P. Crowley
 B. Maki, D. Crowley, J. O'Neill
 J. Shannon, M. Tarara, T. Tarara

ALTAR SERVERS
 L. Jenny, E. Jenny, R. Berg
 S. Sweeney, G. Sweeney
 R. Goldman, V. Loiselle, S & B. O'Malley
 K. Thompson, P. D'Ameida

Would you like to become Catholic?

We are seeking individuals who would like to become part of the RCIA process that is beginning in the fall. RCIA is for adults who are not Catholic but would like to become Catholic or for Catholic adults who did not celebrate their First Communion and/or their Confirmation. For more information, please see Fr. Bill or Ellen Wade-Medeiros. (978-537-7257)



.....AT OUR WEEKEND MASSES

Our cantors are now leading all of the singing for the Mass from the sanctuary. Their presence in the sanctuary encourages all in attendance to take part in the singing throughout the Mass.

Also, we are now praying the Mass intention for each Mass as part of the Prayer of the Faithful. It is appropriate that we as a faith community include that intention as part of our communal prayer. We continue to list Mass intentions in the bulletin for those who wish to know the intention before the start of the Mass.



Saint Leo's Parish School

We are accepting students for our Early Childhood Program at St. Leo's School. We promote socialization based on Catholic values while developing academic readiness for kindergarten. We have three full days and five full days as options available for our 3-year old and 4-year old programs. For more information and to arrange a tour, please contact us at 978-537-1007. Limited openings are also available for kindergarten through grade 8.



SAVE THE DATES!

Our Lady of the Lake

Friday, July 22 @ 7PM

A celebration of St. Mary Magdalene

Guest Speaker: Sr. Maureen Hickey, PBVM

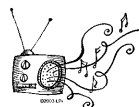
St. John's, Townsend

Fri., Sept. 9: CASINO Night

Sat., Sept. 10: FAMILY BAZAAR

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

We are happy to share that our Knights of Columbus Council is now official started here at St. Leo's. St. Leo Council #16491 is now up and running. We will be meeting on the third Wednesday of the month. Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday, July 20th at 7:00 P.M. in the Conference Room. We are seeking Catholic men to join the Council. If you are interested, please see Fr. Bill or Grand Knight Paul Lambert.



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The Diocesan Office for Healing and Prevention

can be reached at 508-929-4363,
 a direct and confidential line.

JULY 17, 2016


Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY **JULY 17**
MONDAY **JULY 18**
6:00PM SVDP FOOD PANTRY
7:45 PM AA MEETING
TUESDAY **JULY 19**
WEDNESDAY **JULY 20**
4:00PM SVDP FOOD PANTRY
THURSDAY **JULY 21**
5-9PM BASKETBALL
7:00PM CHOIR REHEARSAL
FRIDAY **JULY 22**
SATURDAY **JULY 23**
10-2PM BASKETBALL
11:00AM TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

PARTNERS IN CHARITY

The annual diocesan-wide appeal to support the 29 agencies and ministries of our diocese is now underway. This very important drive funds parts of budgets for a variety of charitable, education and faith ministries including Catholic Charities, priestly vocations, financial aid for children in parochial schools, Haitian and African ministries, retired priest, and many more. Our parish goal this year is \$75,300. The overall goal of the diocese remains the same at \$5 million. Presently we have received \$58,291.67, and we are at 77%. Please be as generous as possible for this important effort.



We are each called by Christ to go out to all the world and tell the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Do we reflect the love of Christ in our relationships, especially our marriage relationship? Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on September 17-18 and October 21-23. for more information call Steve and Michelle O'Leary at 1-800-710-WWME, visit our webpage at www.wwme.org or at <https://www.facebook.com/Wwmema>