

St. Leo's Parish

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Dec. 24, 2023

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday Evening Si

Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m.

5 p.m. Daily Mass 9 a m

Daily Mass 9 a.m. **Holy Days** 9 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday
4-4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Baptism
Preparation
Call Jen Golka
to Register

Marriage
Preparation
By appointment
at least 4 months
in advance

Readings for the Week

Monday: ~ The Nativity of the Lord ~

Is 52:7-10, Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6., Heb 1:1-6, Jn 1:1-18

TUESDAY: ~ FEAST OF ST. STEPHEN, FIRST MARTYR ~

Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59, Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17,

Mt 10:17-22

Wednesday: ~ Feast of St. John, Apostle & Evangelist ~

1 Jn 1:1-4, Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12, Jn 20:1a and 2-8

THURSDAY: ~ FEAST OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS, MARTYRS ~

Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8, 1 Jn 1:5—2:2, Mt 2:13-18

FRIDAY: 1 Jn 2:3-11, Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6, Lk 2:22-35

SATURDAY: 1 Jn 2:12-17, Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, Lk 2:36-40

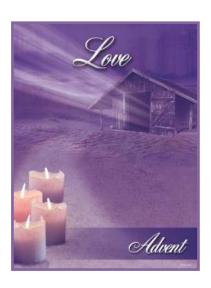
SUNDAY: ~ FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY

AND JOSEPH ~ Sir 3:2-6, 12-14, Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5., Col 3:12-

21 or 3:12-17, LK 2:22-40

Welcome to St. Leo's!

If you are a visitor for the day, we pray God's speed on your journey. If you are looking for a parish community, we would welcome you into our family. Please call the office at 382-4753 or to register visit our web site http://saintleos.org



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Mission Statement: (8/29/2006)

As a Vatican II Church, we strive to provide uplifting experiences where people gather to be nourished, to be given new hope, to be challenged by the Gospel and to be reenergized so that they can return to the world to fulfill Jesus' mission of loving God and loving humankind.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:



This weekend concludes the shortest Advent possible and rejoices in the Nativity of our Savior, Jesus Christ. I take this time to express my gratitude for all my Staff and the many volunteers who work so hard to make our Liturgies beautiful and inspiring. Through the Advent season many have shared their time, talents and treasure to help make Christmas better for others through the Giving Tree, Advent Night participation, The Advent Encounters with Christ and more. We are a blessed parish and we have many reasons to be grateful.

On a personal note, thank you for all the prayers and affirmations especially in this last week. It has been busy but that is why I'm here. I am also grateful for the cards and notes as well as the gifts for Christmas. You are a thoughtful and generous people. May God bless you abundantly.

My prayers continue for you all. Have a Merry Christmas and enjoy the gifts, especially the nurturing of faith.

Fr. Don Buhrman



PROMPTS FOR FAITH-SHARING:

Dec. 24, 2023, Fourth Sunday of Advent

- * What discomforts and uncertainties has God asked you to sit with in this season of your life?
- * What discomforts and uncertainties have you overcome? How might God be calling you to support others with similar trials?
- * Advent, the season of liturgical waiting, is coming to an end, but most of us will still be waiting for God in some way as we move into the Christmas season. How are you still waiting for God? How do you hope God will appear in your life?

Parish Council

Linda Hamik-Chair, Jim Brisnehan, Heather Gearhart, Amy Haney, Dr. Bill Kusek, Ashley Ruble, Andy Wede, Taylor Olsen-Vice Chair, David McDonald

The next regular scheduled Parish Council meeting will be at 6 p.m. **Tuesday, Jan. 16, 2024**, in the Knights of Columbus room of the Parish Hall.



Join us for SEASON 3 of The Chosen in the gathering room beginning Jan. 14!

Pray for Vocations

email: vocations@gidiocese.org

"Do not be afraid, for you have found favor with God." Consider following
Christ more closely as a priest or in consecrated life. Talk to Father Don or contact Fr. Neal Hock at the Vocation Office at 308-234-1539 or

This Week at St. Leo's

Sunday, Dec. 24 ~FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT~

9:00 am Mass Intention: Parish Community 4:00 pm Mass Intention: Parish Community 7:00 pm (Brass) Mass Intention: Jean Golka+ By: Family

Monday, Dec. 25 (OFFICE CLOSED)

~ CHRISTMAS DAY ~

9:00 am Mass Intention: Mark Volkl+ By: Allen & Kelsi Schueth

Tuesday, Dec. 26

9:00 am Mass Intention: Roy Rempe+ By: Patricia Rempke 5:30 pm AA

Wednesday, Dec. 27

9:00 am Mass Intention: Norm Harrison+ By: Elizabeth Harrison

Thursday, Dec. 28

9:00 am Mass Intention: Lee Machmuller+ By: Kerry Eisenmenger 9:30 am Women of Faith Sharing 1:00 pm Prayer Shawl

Friday, Dec. 29

9:00 am Mass Intention: DeVon Irvine+ By: Martin Irvine

10:00 am Al Anon

Saturday, Dec. 30 ~ FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY ~

4:00 pm Reconciliation

5:00 pm Mass Intention: Fr Tom Ogg+

By: Knights of Columbus #10387

Sunday, Dec. 31 ~ FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY ~ KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DOUGHNUTS

8:00 am Mass Intention: Mark Volkl+ By: Jo Manolidis

10:30 am Mass Intention: Parish Community

Monday, Jan. 1 (OFFICE CLOSED)

~ SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD ~ 9:00 am Mass Intention: Ken Kalvoda+ By: Den Bill & Nancy Buchta

Tithing

Last Week's Offertory

Regular Collection \$50,618.00 Plate/Youth 649.96 Online \$10,164.00 \$61,431.96

Estimated Weekly Budget for Dec. \$31,083

The 31 Club

The 31 Club promotes praying for our current seminarians, priests and nuns. The 31 Club fosters and promotes vocations to ministerial priesthood in the Catholic Church as a particular vocation to service and supports our priests and seminarians as well as consecrated religious life. One day a month.

Dec. 24—Judy Roscoe Dec. 25—Kathy Hartman

Dec. 26—John Schwieger, Mary Harb

Dec. 27—Sue Kohles Dec. 28—Carmen Moreno

Dec. 29—Mary Krupicka, Michael Niece Dec. 30—Rose Holthaus, Cathy Ferguson

Dec. 31—Maureen Mendyk

Rest In Peace to those who have died recently including parishioner Kay McGowan. If you know of a former parishioner or a family member of a current pa-

rishioner that has died and you have the permission to publish this information, please let us know and we will include it in the most recent bulletin so others may pray for the deceased and offer consolation to their family.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.



St. Leo's Parish scholarship to be awarded in March 2024

St. Leo's Parish Community will award \$1000.00 scholarships to three St. Leo's high school seniors based on their involvement and contribution to their parish, community and school.

The scholarship application for the class of 2024 began on November 24, 2023, and will close on January 31, 2024. A three member panel of volunteer parish members evaluate and determine our recipients. Three (3) \$1000.00 scholarships will be awarded in March 2024.

Applications are available at local high school guidance counselor's offices, the youth bulletin board in the parish gathering area or online at http://www.saintleos.org/st -leos-scholarship.html

Single Catholic Women ages 20-35:

Franciscan Sisters invite you to in-person and on-line discernment events designed for you. Discover your calling and purpose. Visit https://fscc-calledtobe.org or contact

Sr. Julie Ann at (920) 323-9632.

Use the QR code to log on to *your* ministry account to volunteer. Reach out to **Jami Kusek** or **Kristen Schutte** with any questions. Thank you!



	Saturday, Dec. 30, 5:00pm	Sunday, Dec. 31, 8:00 AM	Sunday, Dec. 31, 10:30 AM	
Lector	Sr. Carlene Headrick	Frank Prucha	NEED A VOLUNTEER	
Commentator	Ann Goetz	Chris Stinson	Becky Steinke	
Communion Minister	NEED A VOLUNTEER -Body 1 Ann Miller—Body 2 Presiding Priest—Body 3 Julie Fiala—Blood 1 Vince Fiala—Blood 2 NEED A VOLUNTEER —Blood 3 NEED A VOLUNTEER —Blood 1 NEED A VOLUNTEER —Blood 2 NEED A VOLUNTEER —Blood 2 NEED A VOLUNTEER —Blood 3	Stacy Kalvoda-Body 1 Robert Allen- Body 2 Presiding Priest- Body 3 Patty Hooker-Body 1 Mary Keslar- Blood 2 RoseAnn Allen - Blood 3 Rodney Hooker- Blood 1 Mike Kalvoda - Blood 2 Sue Stinson -Blood 3	Janae Liberty-Body 1 Francis Sindelar - Body 2 Presiding Priest- Body 3 Brent Keenportz- Blood 1 Rose Ann Sindelar- Blood 2 Dusty Hast- Blood 3 Jamie Meyer- Blood 1 Lisa Kehler-Blood 2 Diana Hast - Blood 3	
Server	Cody Golka Jocelynn Price	Bill Miller Norah Olsen	Kenzie Clausen Maci Clausen	
Greeter	Heather Gearhart Cory Gearhart Clyde Meis Rosemary Meis	Jim Bishop Nancy Bishop Ashley Ruble Spencer Ruble	Ashley Clausen Casey Claussen Rita Hemmer Terrell Hemmer	
Minister to the Homebound		Frank & Marsha Prucha- PYX 1 Bob & RoseAnn Allen-PYX 2 Rita Giresman- PYX 3 Mike Kalvoda-PYX 4		

If you have any questions regarding the Ministry Schedule, please contact Jami@saintleos.org

If you are interested in helping livestream Mass, we would love to have more help. Please email publications@saintleos.org

St. Paul Street Evangelization

St. Paul Street Evangelization is a grassroots, nonprofit Catholic evangelization organization, dedicated to responding to the mandate of Jesus to preach the gospel to all nations by taking our Catholic Faith to the streets. Visit

www.streetevangelization.com to learn more. You can also contact Dennis Harb (deharb@mail.com), (call the office for his phone number) about joining a

number) about joining a team already operating in Grand Island.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend scheduled for Feb. 9-11, 2024

Don't give each other things this Christmas



give each other the gift of great communications, a deep love and a marriage filled with God by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Feb. 9-11, 2024, in Lincoln. For more information about a Virtual Encounter Weekend, contact Brenda and Gary Granger at (720) 213-8833. Space is limited so reserve your weekend early. Visit www.wwme.org for more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter.

SEEK Conference 2024 scheduled

Are you a young adult age 21-39:

- Who is being called into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church?
- Who wants to experience truth, beauty, and goodness?
- Who is interested in connecting with peers who journey together?

Check out the opportunity to take part in the 2024 SEEK Conference (a) https://www.gidiocese.org/young-adults

Holy Innocents Mass to be Dec. 28

A bilingual Mass will be at 5:15 p.m. Dec. 28 at St. Mary's Cathedral in honor of the Feast of the Holy Innocents. The Holy Innocents, patrons of children, babies and foundlings, are the young male children from Bethlehem who were put to death by King Herod. Many families struggle with miscarriage, still birth, infant death or even abortion. This Mass of healing and hope is to pray with families to celebrate the brief lives of these children, and to seek God's mercy and hope. Anyone who would like to have their baby or loved one remembered during the Mass may call the Cathedral Office at 308-384-2523. For more information, contact the pro-life office at 308.382.6565 or go to https:// gidiocese.org/pro-life



"Christ is both the priest, offering Himself, and Himself the Victim. He willed that the sacramental sign of this should be the daily sacrifice of the Church"

St. Augustine



Homebound Ministry



Do you know anyone homebound or unable to come to Mass? Ask them if they would like to receive communion from one of our Eucharistic Ministers. Call St. Leo's office at 308-382-4753.

2023/24 Diocesan Appeal Update

as of 12/5/23

St Leo's Parish

Parish Goal: \$83,781 Total Raised: \$45,003 Household Goal: 240 Current Households: 147



Ministries supported by the appeal include **Vocations**, INTERNATIONAL PRIEST PROGRAM, SEMINARY FORMATION, YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES, NEWMAN CENTERS, CONTINUING EDUCATION AND RETREATS FOR PRIESTS, RETIRED PRIEST MEDICAL INSURANCE, PRO-LIFE, FAITH FORMATION AND EVANGELIZATION AND THE PERMANENT DIACONATE.

Thank you for your support!

2024 Pro-Life Gala and Conference planned in Lincoln Jan. 5 and 6

The Nebraska Pregnancy Care Alliance will host a Pro-Life Gala from 6:30 to 11 p.m. Jan. 5, at the Embassy Suites in Lincoln. Events of the evening will include food, fellowship, a silent auction and dance. All proceeds will go to benefit life affirming Pregnancy Help Organizations across the state.

The inaugural Together for Life Conference will be from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 6. Participants will engage in interactive workshops, expert sessions and inspiring discussion with local and na-



tional area experts, PHO leaders, volunteers, and community leaders from across the state to learn the latest information on Nebraska's pregnancy care landscape. Breakfast and lunch are included in the registration fee. To register, visit https://onecau.se/ togetherforlifeconference



"Let us reach out personally to the hungry and the homeless, to the poor and the powerless, and to the troubled and the vulnerable. In serving them, we serve Christ. Our service efforts cannot substitute for... just public policies, but they can help us practice what we preach about human life and human dignity."

Economic Justice for All, U.S. Catholic Bishops, 1986, #26.

The Giving
you Tree 2023

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Giving Tree this year! And thank you for all of your food donations to the St. Mary's Food Pantry!



Heartland United Way has a website for those who are looking to volunteer or needing hours for

school. There are all types of volunteer opportunities on this website. https://www.go2volunteer.org/

Emergency Rental Assistance Program

Did you know that Nebraska has a program called Emergency Rental Assistance that helps individuals with their back rent and possibly 2-3 future rent payments? This program has already helped many people and fewer people have come to us for assistance. An individual has to have been affected by COVID, but honestly we all have been affected in some way. If you know someone in need of rental assistance, please send them to this website to complete an application https://nebraskarenthelp.org/

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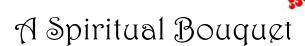
Christmas | Sacred Art

Join Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp as they look at the painting Adoration of the Shepherds by Gerard van Honthorst to celebrate the Nativity of our Lord. This famous painting reveals the Christ Child as the light that has come into the world and also depicts the Blessed Mother, St. Joseph, and the shepherds to be models of adoration to our humble Lord who came as a helpless baby.



The 12 Days of Christmas

We are excited to announce our series of FORMED Now! Christmas and New Year special episodes. In these episodes, professors from the Augustine Institute Graduate School will lead us in reflections throughout the season.



As a special and spiritual gift,
Sister Carlene Headrick, SFCC,
will share the blessings and graces of 900
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throughout the world beginning on
Christmas Eve and continuing through
the Holy Season for all the members
of St. Leo's Parish.







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gidiocese.org/give-now



thank you!

A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who donated food for our food pantry this past weekend. Also, to those who loaded and brought the food over to our food pantry. We appreciate you thinking of us as we have been giving out a lot of sacks of groceries. God Bless You! Marie, chair of Camille's Cupboard St. Mary's Cathedral

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What's happening at





Father Don Buhrman performed the Sacrament of Anointing on Father Mark Maresh, former associate pastor at St. Leo's, on Dec. 19 surrounded by friends and family. Father Maresh is scheduled to undergo open-heart surgery Dec. 21 in Lincoln.



Sr. Carlene Headrick SFCC writes down the German Chocolate Cake she made for the funeral of Kay McGowan as part of the Ladies of Leo's who prepare the meals and help everything run smoothly.

check out St. Leo's website: www.saintleos.org



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Please include these intentions in your prayers during this Christmas Season.

Thanks to all contributed - Ladies of St Leo's

In Memory of:

James & Lillian Hrnicek Sara Josephine Rothrock

Lee Machmuller

Members of McMullen & Dubas families

Cindy Mudloff

Hubert & Louise Ostdiek; Mae & Leo Rowley; & Red & Roni

Ostdiek Steven Toner

Walter Wenzl, Michael Wenzl & Andrew Wenzel

Deceased family members of Leonard & Adeline Lewandowski &

Paul & Rosella Ziller Deceased Family Members

Deceased Wede & Dirksen Families

Wilbert & Veronica Vogel, Stanley & Wilma Sindelar and Richard

Sindelar

Our Parents & Loved Ones

Peggy Beswick Gerry Denne Alvera Irvine

Deceased Family Members

Minnie Prucha and Bud & Frances Hooker

Our parents and siblings

Clayton & Martha Wanek; Tom & Deanie Wanek

Lori Grandgenett

Ron Miller Sr - Jake Miller Family - Lloyd Jungels Family

Tom Syslo; Ed & Marylou Gdowski

Bernie Krajewski and Agnes Lewandowski

Dennis Korgel & Harold Korgel

Janet Fritz & Pat Engel; Don & Marlene Mickey

Agnes Lewandowski Deceased Family Members

Fr. Tom Ogg

Deceased members of Schock & Kleinschmit families

Ralph & Cleetis Meyer and Charlene Zwink

T.D. Werner Norm Harrison

Newell & Genny Pock and Ben & Mary Ann Bishop

Placzek & Gunter Families

Deceased members Theiler and Krajewski families

Vern Robinson & Al Grubbs

Barry and Lorena Eakens/Rich and Hilda Rempe

Deceased loved ones Bill & Todd Holloway

Herb & Pat Hruska; Ralph & Mary Spencer

Terry and Karen Connick

Donna Pacha, Caroline Etherton, Larry Meyer, Harold Meyer &

Jerry Meyer Eleanor Nielsen Loved Ones

Deceased Family members

Donated By:

Wilma Hrnicek

Nana and Papa Tesmer Kathy Machmuller Don & Lynda Dubas Joe & Shirlee Mudloff

Ann Goetz

Larry & Rose Ann Toner

Norbert Wenzl

Ed & Marlene Lewandowski

Pat Durbin

Andy & Maureen Wede

Francis & Rose Ann Sindelar

Dennis & Lorie Kraus Irene Beckstead Gerry's Family

Martin & Wendy Irvine Angie & Jack Smolek Frank & Marsha Prucha Roger & Linda Vogel Bonna & Mike Wanek Dennis & Diane Carroll

Ann Miller

Tom & Becky Gdowski

Jim and Karma Lewandowski

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In Memory of:

Family

Nancy Woitaszewski

Our parents

Francis Sr. & Dale Kehler, Jim & Dee Larchick, Pat Kehler, Dawn Marie

Kehler, Maggie Larchick, Mae Petersen, Bill Steele

George & Jean Fredrickson; Charles, Bernice & Norma Jean

Swertzic

Karen Clausen & Coleen Fagan

Roy Rempe

John & Jerry Wagoner; Orville & Catherine Indra & Mary Ann

Indra

Patricia Brisnehan

Jim Essink

Bob & Vera Laughlin

Family members who left us too early

Dvorak & Brott families Thomas and Cecelia Wagoner

Rosalie Shriner

Family of Sister Carlene

Floyd Callahan and deceased members of Joe Nelson family

Loved ones

Bob and Delores Buhrman

Pete Moreno family & Sequra family Alan Brown, George and Jean Fredrickson Eldon & Geil Beckstrom, Don Loeffelbein

Lawrence & Catherine Berger, Frank Sullivan, Philip Olsen

Pat Willey & Nikki Buchanan Larry & Margaret Hanson

John Bednar

Clarence & Vernie Shuda, Don & Frances Glass, Ernie & Dorothy

Keene

Chuck & Rita Hamik, Ray Hamik and Daisy Wilkinson

Harold Weeth

Dave McCarthy & Leonard Williams-McCarthy

Loved Ones Loved Ones

Tony & Mildred Svoboda

Craig Roberts

Deceased Members of Family

Lawrence & Rose Hammerschmidt family/Rudy & Adeline Staab

family

Douglas P. Merrick-beloved Brother of Janelle & Steve Riehle

Tagel family & Volkl family members

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John & Isabelle Heinzman

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Tony & Joan Beckstrom Roger & Rita Olsen Dianne & Rod Harms

John & Sue McDonald family

Jean Coen

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Linda Hamik Lizabeth A. Weeth Judy McCarthy Peter Haase Carol Woodward

Dennis & Marlene Hilderbrand & family

Jan Roberts Nguyen Family Ken & Rosie Staab

Steve and Janelle Riehle

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Jesus and the Eucharist

Soup dinner will be served Thursdays, 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Session focus Sundays @ 9:05 a.m.-10:20 a.m.

What's Our Story? Who is Jesus?

Am I Saved?

Why a Church? God is with Us

Story of the Eucharist

Feb. 29, 2024

Feb. 22, 2024

Feb. 15, 2024

Feb. 1, 2024 Jan. 25, 2024 Jan. 18, 2024

Mar. 7, 2024

Bread for the Journey

Coffee & rolls will be served Jan. 21, 2024

Jan. 28, 2024

Feb. 4, 2024

Feb. 18, 2024 Feb. 25, 2024 Mar. 3, 2024

Mar. 10, 2024

Why should you come?



about your faith

You just aren't sure

to share your faith with others You want to be able

You are on fire for Jesus and want to go deeper

Where ever you are in your faith journey, YOU are Invited!

all sessions, but please come when you can! No preparation ahead or homework, come as you are. Child care available! Come hungry for food and Jesus! Come to one, some, or all of the sessions. It is designed for you to attend

Borhoff, Jen Golka, Dee Hanssen, Tracy Keenportz, Kathy McFarland, Beata Nabity, or contact Rita Hemmer For questions or more information: please contact one of our e-team members: Alexa Anderson, Veronica Blarney, Kathy rita@saintleos.org 308-382-4753.





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