# SAINT LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH

# 120 N Gatewood St., Lawrenceburg, KY 40342





Socializing at Wednesday Fun Night

# Twenty-Third Sunday Ordinary Time Sept 4, 2022

**Weekday Mass** 

Tuesday: 6:00pm Wednesday 6:00pm Thursday:: 8:30am

Friday: 11:30am

**Parish Office Hours** 

Monday thru Thursday: 9:00am -2:00pm Closed Friday

Phone: 502-839-6381 Fax: 502-859-2419

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm Sunday: 9:30am Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:45 - 5:15pm Sunday: 8:45 - 9:15am and by appointment

Adoration

Wednesday 3:00pm - 6:00pm

Live stream Sundays only on YouTube, Facebook., FM 104.3

#### **Our Mission**

As Catholic disciples of Jesus Christ and His Church, we respond to our Lord's Invitation to be faithful in prayer, celebrate the Sacraments, deepen our faith through lifelong formation, serve those in need, and invite others to the fullness of the Catholic faith.

# THE WEEK AHEAD

**Saturday, Sept. 3** - *MASS*—5:30pm (104.3FM)

**Sunday, Sept. 4 - 23rd Sunday Ordinary Time** *MASS*—9:30am (Facebook, YouTube, & 104.3 FM)

Monday, Sept. 5 - Labor Day -Office Closed

**Tuesday, Sept. 6 -** MASS 6pm Knights of Columbus FLC- 6:30pm

**Wednesday, Sept. 7 -** *ADORATION 3-6 pm MASS* — *6pm, Pastoral Planning Meeting FLC - 6:30pm* 

Thursday, Sept. 8 - MASS -8:30am

Friday, Sept. 9 - MASS—11:30am

**Saturday, Sept. 10 -** *MASS—5:30pm (104.3FM)* 

**Sunday, Sept 11 - 24th Sunday Ordinary Time** *MASS*—9:30am (Facebook, YouTube, & 104.3 FM)

#### HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

This is a ministry to help our parishioners who are sick or have come home from the hospital and could use a home cooked meal and a visit from fellow parishioners from church. We want them to know that our church is there to support them and are interested in their recovery. If they request Communion, we can also take them Communion. Contact the parish office (502-839-6381) if you would like to request assistance from, or join our Homebound Ministry Team.





# **CCD Classes Begin**

September 11th 11am -12 noon

**After Donuts in the FLC** 

YOUTH FROUP

The St. Lawrence Youth Group will be meeting every other Sunday starting 9/11 at 6:30PM in the FLC. All parents and youth in grades 9 – 12 are invited to come join and participate in a life journey of faith and fun. Come prepared to learn and experience some good times while spreading the good news of our Catholic faith.

For more information contact J.R. Courtney 480-747-0645

# CRISIS TEXT LINE 741741

For help from a trained Counselor

# DOMESTIC VIOLENCE/ SEXUAL ASSAULT

If you need help, you are not alone:

Call Fr. Jeff (502-839-6381 ext. 1), anytime of day

National Domestic Violence Hotline (1-800-799-7233) National Sexual Assault Hotline (1-800-656-4673)

# FROM THE DIOCESE

## **Diocesan Annual Wedding Anniversary**

**Celebration**— November 5, 2022: For all couples having their 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th or 50th -plus wedding anniversary in 2022, the Bishop will celebrate with you at the Cathedral of Christ the King on Saturday, November 5th. The event begins with Mass at 5:00 PM with Bishop John Stowe, OFM Conv. presiding, followed by a catered reception in Hehman Hall. We are also looking for couples newly married in the past year to be hospitality ministers. If you or someone you know is celebrating one of these jubilee anniversaries in 2022 or if you are newly married and would like to serve as hospitality ministers, please register at cdlex.org/family or contact Claudia Green at the Catholic Center at (859) 253-1993, ext. 1004 to make reservations by October 28. Please give your name, parish, mailing address, phone number, and original wedding date.

#### SECOND COLLECTIONS

Next weekend: World Missions

Upcoming Collections: Sept. 18th: Church in Africa Sept 25-Oct 31st: Annual Appeal

## CATHOLIC SINGLES OF THE BLUEGRASS

fosters the development of friendships between Catholic singles in the Diocese of Lexington. Its mission: to provide opportunities to participate in social activities, service projects and faith-based education programs. Upcoming events: Moondance Amphitheater, Gallery Hop, Picnic With The Pops, Keeneland Fall Races, Christmas Party. Info: Fred & Karen Payne at CatholicSinglesoftheBluegrass@gmail.com

#### SMALL GROUP DISCUSSIONS OF LAUDATO SI

We encourage churches, youth groups, and other affinity groups to meet and discuss the Encyclical. Members of the LTS Green Task Force and the Diocesan Laudato Si Commission will host a one-hour online discussion opportunity on Wed., Sept. 21, with options for either 12noon or 7 p.m. Eastern. To join the discussion, go to: <a href="https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/87591482428">https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/87591482428</a>. Discussion questions for those who wish to discuss Laudato Si in their own groups can be accessed at: <a href="https://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/environment/upload/laudato-si-discussion-guide.pdf">https://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/environment/upload/laudato-si-discussion-guide.pdf</a>.

## Season of Creation - Sept 1- Oct 4, 2022 Artwork and Exhibit details:

• Pre-register by: August 31. Email the following information: name, address, phone, medium, and artwork dimensions to: Vicki Wenz, vwenz8@gmail.com. • Artwork submission deadline: September 23, 2022. Email digital version of the work with artist's statement explaining how the work illustrates some aspect of Laudato Si. • Works will be exhibited online. • Best of Show award \$200 (adult) to be announced at the online October 4th worship service. Details TBA. • Adult artists will be eligible for a drawing of limited-edition oil paints "Reclaimed Earth Colors" (\$45value). • Information on the Children's Art Contest is available at: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/12Vw48yuYc\_JdQh1lge-g4TU1pvZozgau? usp=sharing

## Journey of Hope Ministry for Divorced Catholics (Fall/2022)

This 10-week course, led by Catholics who have experienced healing after divorce, begins Wed., September 7, 2022, from 7-9pm at the Catholic Center in Lexington(1310 West Main St). See cdlex.org/joh for info and to register. Email lexjourneyofhope@cdlex.org with any questions, or call Ellie: 859-806-3959.

Journey of Hope is a program addressing concerns of divorced Catholics. It offers support, and addresses important issues that arise as a result of a divorce. The strong emphasis on prayer, scripture, and Catholic teachings can lead to healing and a stronger relationship with Jesus Christ.

# **OUR PARISH**

#### **OUR STAFF**

**Rev. Jeff Estacio** 

Priest/Pastor 502-839-6381

Dcn. Chris Cecil

Deacon 502-839-6381

**Michael Armstrong** 

Director of The Don Bosco Center 502-839-6381

**Anna Courtney** 

Parish Office Mgr./ Bookkeeper 502-839-6381

Actively Seeking Administrative Assistant

#### **MINISTRY CHAIRS**

Pastoral Council: Tony Silvernail Parish Finance Council: Lisa Cann

Liturgy: Deacon Chris Cecil Sacristans: Robin Basham Altar Servers: Lucas Garland

EMHC: Pat Miller

Martha's Ministry: Sue Litkenhus Lectors/Greeters: Sue Litkenhus Altar Society: Cathy Figlestahler &

Robin Basham

Sick/Homebound Ministry: Joy Bozorgzad

Faith Formation/RCIA: CRE: Robin Basham

Adoration/Bible Study: Marcia Roark Open Hands Food Pantry: Lisa Cann &

Andrea Dull

Hispanic Committee: Maria Gonzalez Knights of Columbus: J.R. Courtney Mowing Team: Bob Figlestahler

Landscape:

Youth Group Director: J.R. Courtney

# PRAYER REQUESTS

**Parishioners:** Betty Butler, Dr. Glyn Caldwell, Rosalie Corvello, Bob Crane, Eloise Detherage, Shirley Eldridge, Terry Elder, Eve Gettlefinger, Betty Hettinger, Brian & Pat Miller, Kathy Mirilovich, Bob Simon, Alice Wickman, Marlene Yeager

Family & Relatives: Margaret Boyle (M Friel); Andrew Basham (R. Basham), Barbara Cann, Ron Kupper, (L. Cann); Mary Sue Trent (C. Cherry); Shannon Crane (P Crane); Doris Hyman (J. Hyman); Alli Johnson, Angie Champion (Jo J); Ron Morand, Julian Travis, Marguerite Wardell, (P. Marraccini); Emma Murphy (S. Nucci), Robbie Roark, Bob & Susie Schutz, (M. Roark); Gabe Tanner (J. Tanner); David Doering, Patrick Hughey (MJ Timmerman); Doug Wade, Jr. (J. Wade); Julie Van Hook, Max Wilburn (M. White)

**Friends:** Bobby Isham (J. Bozorgzad); Debra Safran (A. Courtney), Liam Pullam (A. Dull); Melvin Johnson (J. Hyman); Jennifer Hall, P. Marraccini); Dan Danzl (MJ Timmerman)

**Those who serve our country:** Shane Carey, Alex Crane, Hugh Devane, David Lanier Jr., Colt Litkenhus, Travis Nicolette, Bill Redding, Todd Rucker, Matthew Spencer, Brian Thompson.

Please help us keep this list updated. Let us know when to remove or add a name by calling 502-839-6381.

### **STEWARDSHIP**

Aug 27 & 28

Donations A:
Offertory: \$3,990
Building Fund \$550

Attendance Saturday: 59 Sunday:



#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sept. 3 Jordan Goodwin

Sept. 5 Jesse Haynes, Amy Collingsworth

Sept. 6 John Duryea

Sept. 8 Terri Cobb, Linda Connelly, Alex

Lopez

Sept. 10 Sally Higgins

If we have omitted a birthday or if a name needs to be removed from this list, contact the parish office stlawrencenews@cdlex.org, 502-839-6381).



#### **GRAPE PICKING has begun!**

If you have not spoken with Tony Silvernail and wish to help. Please call (502) 320-1883 or email btborganic@gmail.com

# We're looking for a tutor to help us in the 2022-23 school year. Contact Michael Armstrong at marmstrong@cdlex.org if interested. Job description can be found at cdlex.org

Looking to get out and experience rewarding and fun activities? **Join** 



#### St. Lawrence Council 15681

Meetings Monthly every first Tuesday at Family Life Center St. Lawrence Church Any Active Catholic Male 18+ of age

Why Join? What's in it for me?

- One avenue to be witness to our
   Parish and local community.
- AD Insurance, Fellowship, Charity
- · Leadership opportunities

Contact J.R. Courtney 480-747-0643, <a href="mailto:kofcgrndpuba@gmail.com">kofcgrndpuba@gmail.com</a> or www.kofc.org

Meeting on Tuesday Night Sept 6th at 6:30pm in the Family Life Center



Hi my name is Penelope. I was found outside wandering around at a very young age, and needed to be bottle fed. My foster mom thinks I am about 8-10 weeks old now. I may be blind, but I am playful and easy to get along with. I need to find a new home. Please call or text 615-796-3012 for more information about me.



You've heard and seen our Mission Statement. Have you ever wondered what it means? It is all part of our Pastoral Plan. Our Pastoral Plan creates opportunities for us to build a deeper sense of community and a church that is responsive to the needs of our community.

 $\mbox{\bf G}$   $\mbox{\bf \bullet}$   $\mbox{\bf To foster fellowship by creating shared opportunities to interact, forming a deeper sense of community.$ 

• To listen and to respond to our Lord's invitation by creating an organization that is service oriented and responsive to the needs of our community.

To invite others to the fullness of the Catholic Church by creating opportunities



Without volunteers, participants or ministries, our goals are not met and our community doesn't see or hear us. Next meeting Wednesday Sept 7th 6:30pm in Family Life Center

# **FOCUS ON OUR MINISTRIES**

Wednesday Fun Night

Wednesday Fun Night was developed in response to goal #2 of our mission statement. If you enjoyed Wednesday Nights, please let us know. We had fun and look forward to seeing everyone again soon! Look for more information on upcoming dates.



The Parish office will be closed on:

Monday Sept 5th for Labor Day

# FUNDRAISER COFFEE SALE

LIMITED QUANTI-TIES

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Contact the parish office (502-839-6381, stlawrencenews@cdlex.org) to place an order

All donations will benefit *The Little Mountain School* which Fr. Miguel Alvizures helped establish in Guatemala.

Selling Coffee on Sunday after Mass. Check made out to GEO Inc. Sorry no change. All excess funds are donated to Guatemala Education Organization.



# COME LET US ADORE HIM

Adoration is a quiet time spent in prayer before Jesus present in the Eucharist. Please join us on:

Wednesday 3pm-6pm in the Chapel



#### MASS SCHEDULE and INTENTIONS

Sat	Sept	3	5:30pm	+Jim & Lucy Cox
Sun	Sept	4	9:30am	+Bobby Roark
Tues	Sept	6	6:00 pm	Hanna White (i)
Wed	Sept	7	6:00 pm	+Martha Camarena Lopez
Thu	Sept	8	8:30am	+Soccoro Guzman Jimenez
Fri	Sept	9	11:30am	+Anthony LoSchiavo
Sat	Sept	10	5:30pm	+Mansoor Bozorgzad
Sun	Sept	11	9:30am	+Anthony LoSchiavo +Janet Johnson



To request a Mass, please contact the parish office at 502-839-6381. The offering of a \$5 stipend per Mass is suggested (but not required). Limit of five (5) weekend intentions per family per year.

Date & Time	Presider	Musician	Lectors	Greeters	Sacristan
Saturday, September 3 5:301	PM Fr. Jeff	Dennis	Anne G. & Mary Jo	Lisa C. & Andrea	Lisa
Sunday, September 4 9:30A	Fr. Jeff	Dennis	Dave N. & Marcia R	Kathy M & Bob L	Robin
Saturday, September 10 5:301	PM Fr. Paul Silva	Lorne	Sally & Annette	Lisa C. & Sally H.	Lisa
Sunday, September 11 9:30A	Fr. Paul Silva	Libby	Andy D & Dave N	Jeanette & Bill	Robin



# THE NATIVITY OF MARY - September 8

On this day, we celebrate "The birth of the Mother of God...[she was] tended and formed and prepared for her role as Mother of God....raised to the dignity of a holy place for him who made all things....the creature....newly prepared to be a divine dwelling place for the Creator. (Liturgy of the Hours, Vol. IV, p. 1371) Father of mercy, give your people help and strength from heaven. The birth of the Virgin Mary's Son was the dawn of our salvation. May this celebration of her birthday bring us closer to lasting peace. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen." (Liturgy of the Hours, Vol. IV, p. 1373)



When fire, tornadoes, storms, or other natural disasters leave you in need, Immediate Assistance is available. Please call our 24-hour crisis line, 855-891-7325

## American Legion Post 34



"Come join the family"

Monthly meeting every 4th Tuesday @ 6:00

For benefit questions, VA help or basic inquiries, Please Call Sally Higgins, Service Officer Post 34 @ 1-303-521-0590



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

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#### **SERVICES**

Thrift Store & Furniture: Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Food Distribution:

Tuesday 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm • Saturday 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

#### Donations accepted:

Gently used items: clothes, furniture and household items.
Any questions give us a call: 502-227-8037
(Leave a message and your call back number)



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**Emotional Support & Companionship** 

Contact Fern Edgett (502) 699-2633



Annette Riddle