



Saint Leo Catholic Church

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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 12, 2025

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“The Gospel announces to us that everyone’s life can change because Christ rose from the dead. This event is the truth that saves us; therefore, it must be known and proclaimed,” ~Pope Leo



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday

Rom 1:1-7

Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday

Rom 1:16-25

Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday

Rom 2:1-11

Lk 11:42-46

Thursday

Rom 3:21-30

Lk 11:47-54

Friday

Rom 4:1-8

Lk 12:1-7

Saturday

2 Tm 4:10-17b

Lk 10:1-9

TODAY'S READINGS

2 Kgs 5:14-17

2 Tm 2:8-13

Lk 17:11-19



**SACRAMENT OF
BAPTISM**

Call the St. Leo office
507-825-3152

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesdays 4:00-5:00 PM

Fridays 4:30-5:00 PM

Other times by appointment

**SACRAMENT OF
MARRIAGE**

Contact the St. Leo office
at least 6 months prior
to the desired date

**DIOCESE OF
WINONA-ROCHESTER**

507-454-4643

www.dowr.org

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

October 14—October 19, 2025

SAINT LEO

Wednesday, October 15 *Saint Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church*

5:15 PM NO MASS

Friday, October 17 *Saint Ignatius of Antioch Bishop & Martyr*

5:15 PM NO MASS

Saturday, October 18 *Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time*

5:00 PM Gary† & Jeff† Paulsen

Sunday, October 19 *Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time*

10:30 AM Deceased Members† of Court St. John

Sunday, October 19 *Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time*

1:00 PM For the Parishioners

CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

Wednesday, October 15 No confessions
With Eucharist Adoration

Friday, October 17 No confessions

Saturday, October 18 No confessions

FROM THE DESK OF FR. JOSHUA...

As you read this, I will be re-packing after witnessing my friends' marriage for another flight to Rome, Italy for the Archdiocese for the Military Services Priest Convocation. This will be a 4 day meeting with +Archbishop Timothy Broglio, the Archbishop of all the Catholics in the American Military, who is also currently the president of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, as well as many other American military chaplains from various assignments throughout the world. It will be a time of prayer, fraternity, and training. The theme of this year's convocation is: *Military Chaplaincy and Contemporary Pastoral issues in Gender and Deliverance Ministry*. The keynote speakers include a priest exorcist, and several doctors. We are also scheduled to attend the Pope's Wednesday audience and celebrate Mass at St. Peter's Basilica. Know that I will pray for you at the Tomb of the Fisherman.

Come and See Weekend: I am planning to drive to Winona for the weekend of 15-17 November with any young men who would like to visit the Immaculate Heart of Mary Seminary. If you are interested in visiting the seminary that is on St. Mary's University in Winona and having a college visit with other seminarians, please contact me at the parish office.

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SAINT CATHERINE

Tuesday, October 14 *Saint Callistus I, Pope & Martyr*

5:15 PM NO MASS

Thursday, October 16 *Saint Hedwig, Religious; Saint Maragaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin*

5:15 PM NO MASS

Sunday, October 19 *Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time*

8:30 AM Floyd† Johnson

CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

Tuesday, October 14 No confessions

Thursday, October 16 No confessions

Mass will be Live Streamed on Facebook at:

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/stccluverne/videos/>

LITURGICAL HELPERS

Saturday, October 18 ~ 5:00 PM

Sacristan: *Need Help

Altar Servers: Summer LaBrune, Valencia Murphy,
*Need Help

Readers: *Need Help, *Need Help

Extraordinary Ministers: Tod Johnson, Miriam Johnson

Ushers: *Need Help, *Need Help, *Need Help,
*Need Help

Music: *Need Help, *Need Help

Sunday, October 19 ~ 10:30 AM

Sacristan: Gen Lustfield

Altar Servers: Samuel Full, Tenley Caskey, Adrian Caskey

Readers: Elaine Fenicle, *Need Help

Extraordinary Ministers: Julie Stevens, Cindy Cunningham

Ushers: *Need Help, *Need Help, *Need Help,
*Need Help

Music: Carol Haubrich, Kevin Paulsen

PRAYER PETITIONS FOR THE SICK

Lucy Wallerich, Duanne Carlson, Randy Janssen, Patt Johnson, Catherine Ford, Bunny & Brad Johnson, Rosie Rolph, Maureen Bell, & Kay Dubbelde.

May they know of our prayers in their time of need.

COFFEE, DONUT & FELLOWSHIP

Please join the Catholic Daughters for fellowship on Sunday October 19 after Mass.

CONTINUO FROM THE DESK OF FR. JOSHUA...

St. Catherine's:

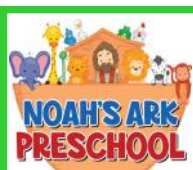
Since last week, generous parishioners have donated \$4,000 dollars to the Doyle Hall Kitchen Project. We still need \$49,000 dollars to meet our goal of \$210,000 to pay for the whole project. The contractor is prepared to begin work on this project on December 1. In order to make this happen we need to have the money no later than the end of October so that we can prepare the documents for the Diocesan College of Consultors meeting on November 20. Thank you for your generosity.

PORK LOIN SUPPER FUNDRAISER

Noah's Ark Preschool is hosting a Drive-Thru Style Pork Loin Supper Fundraiser on the east side of St. Leo on Wednesday, October 29 from 5:00-7:00 PM or until gone. Serving Pipestone Pork Producers pork loin sandwich, chips, cookie and water for \$10. \$4 for an extra sandwich. You don't even have to get out of your vehicle—we'll bring it right to you!

PILLOW CLEANING

Carlson's Pillow Cleaning Service will be on the east side of St. Leo on **Thursday, October 23**. Drop off your pillows between 7:00 AM and 3:00 PM. Feather pillows will be cleaned, deodorized, sanitized, fluffed and recovered. Crushed foam pillows can be cleaned and polyester pillows can be recovered. Sponsored by the Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court St. John 1371.



This week we all had a visit from the firemen; we thank them for taking the time out of their days to teach us about fire safety! The 3 yr. olds had a visit from Ms. Emily. They enjoyed story time with her. We learned Letter "C", for Cross!

We had a busy fun week. We would like to remind you that you may turn in your Hank's receipts anytime through out the year. Mark your calendars for Oct. 29, we are having our drive thru pork loin supper from 5 to 7pm. We hope to see you there. Thank you all, ~Noah's Ark Preschool.



QUICK VIEW OF THE WEEK

Mon 10/131:30 PM Make Rosaries @ Ridgeview
Wed 10/155:15 PM.....NO MASS
Wed 10/156:00 PM Choir Practice
Thur 10/166:00 PM..... CDA Mtg
Fri 10/175:15 PM.....NO MASS

DIOCESE OF WINONA-ROCHESTER - CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE POLICY INFORMATION

The Diocese of Winona-Rochester will provide a prompt, appropriate and compassionate response to reporters of sexual abuse of a child by any diocesan agent (employees, volunteers, vendors, religious or clergy). Anyone wishing to make a report of an allegation of sexual abuse should call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 507-454-2270, Extension 255. A caller will be asked to provide his or her name and telephone number. Individuals are also encouraged to take their reports directly to civil authorities. The Diocese of Winona-Rochester is committed to protecting children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. The diocesan policy is available on the diocesan web site at www.dowr.org under the Safe Environment Program. If you have any questions about the Diocese of Winona's implementation of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, please contact Michael Gerard, at 507-361-3377, or mgerard@dowr.org.

Anyone working or volunteering in a Catholic parish or school is a mandated reporter. Anyone who knows or has reason to believe that a minor (a person under the age of 18) or vulnerable adult is or has been abused or neglected, must report all suspected abuse or neglect to proper civil authorities/law enforcement within 24 hours of the abuse or neglect becoming known to him or her and must also follow up with a written report to civil authorities within 72 hours, exclusive of weekends and holidays. Many people working or volunteering in a Catholic parish or school, including clergy, are mandated reporters under state law.

GATHERING MEAL

A huge THANK YOU to everyone who gave a donation of food, money or of their time to Octobers gathering. Stay tuned for details on Novembers meal and ways you can help. ~Kristie Faber

May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord let His face shine upon you and be gracious to you!

*****Numbers 6:24-25*****



BABY BOTTLECAMPAIGN KICK OFF!!

Catholic Charities supports confident pregnancies and stable beginnings through financial assistance, free baby items, pregnancy counseling, parenting education, and adoption planning and placement. We need your help in meeting the needs of new and expectant parents in difficult situations. Every dollar donated through the Baby Bottle Campaign is used for rent or utilities for women who are pregnant or have a new baby at home. While applying for assistance, women learn about adoption and parenting supports in order to feel confident carrying their baby to term. Your gift offers a tangible gift of hope during a crisis. Thank you for supporting the Baby Bottle Campaign!

Allie is a young mother expecting her first baby this fall. She lost her job after missing too much work due to morning sickness, and came to Catholic Charities for help with her bills. Catholic Charities was able to pay her outstanding utility bills so she would not have her electricity disconnected. With the help of her Catholic Charities social worker, Allie created a plan for the future so she had stable housing and the baby items she needed before her baby girl was born.

**Names have been changed to protect confidentiality.*

SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend, we will unite with the global Church in celebrating World Mission Sunday. In 1926 Pope Pius XI instituted Mission Sunday for the whole Church with the first worldwide Mission Sunday Collection taking place in October 1927. The Mission Sunday collection is always taking on the next to last Sunday during the month of October. That day is celebrated in all churches as the feast of catholicity and universal solidarity so Christians all over the world will recognize their common responsibility with regard to the evangelization of the world.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS MEETING

CDA Meeting Reminder! Our next meeting is this week on Thursday, October 16 at 6:00 PM in the Good Shepherd room. As part of our program, we'll hear from First Bank & Trust. If you're interested in what the CDA is all about we welcome you to join our meeting.

FAITH FORMATION

There will be NO Faith Formation Classes on Wednesday October 15.

OCTOBER: RESPECT LIFE MONTH

"The truth of the Gospel of life is at the foundation of who we are as followers of Christ. In His earthly life, Jesus provided the perfect model for how we are to love our neighbor and live out the Gospel call: "Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to me" (Mt. 25:40)."

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

With the start of the new year, we will switch to picking up envelopes in the Concourse following Mass instead of them being sent directly to your home. We understand that many prefer to give in different ways and would no longer like to receive envelopes if they are not utilizing them. If you would no longer like to receive offertory envelopes, please reach out to the parish email om@stscl.org or call 507-825-3152.

**** LAST CHANCE ****

MAGNIFICAT ORDERS

All renewals and new subscriptions for the daily readings in the book *Magnificat*, must be in before November. \$39 for 12 issues. Call Linda Delaney at 215-7776 or drop payment off at the St. Leo office. Please make payment to CDA Court St. John 1371.

ST. LEO SACRIFICIAL GIVING WEEK 14 — OCTOBER 5, 2025

Adult.....	\$2,702.00
Online Giving	\$614.09
Children	\$12.00
<u>Needed weekly</u>	
\$7,335.00	
<u>Budget-to-date</u>	
\$102,690.00	
<u>Income-to-date</u>	
\$110,356.33	
Offertory.....	\$450.00
Stole Fee	\$680.00
Education.....	\$1.00
Building Maintenance.....	\$1.00
SL Fall Dinner	\$246.00
Total	\$4,706.09
Special Collection	
CMA.....	\$50.00

Thank you for giving of your time, talent & treasure!

ONLINE GIVING

Give online safely and securely via the ParishSoft Online Giving platform by visiting <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stleopipestone> to find the online giving link. You can choose to make a one-time or a recurring donation to the fund of your choice. **For giving to the general fund, registered adult members of St. Leo should choose the Adult fund.** For questions please call the St. Leo office. Also use the QR code here.

