



St. Leo Catholic Church

401 N 12TH STREET ~ MURRAY, KY 42071 ~ www.stleoky.org

July 12, 2026 - 12 de julio de 2026

Welcome!

New to St. Leo?
Need to register or prepare for a sacrament?
Email us at info@stleoky.org.
We are looking forward to seeing you at Mass!

¡Bienvenido!

¿Nuevo en St. Leo?
¿Necesita registrarse o prepararse para un sacramento?
Por favor, envíenos un correo electrónico a info@stleoky.org.
¡Esperamos darle la bienvenida en la Misa!

MSU Students

Welcome, new students!
Have questions or need more information?
Contact Philomena at
philomena@stleoky.org
www.catholicracers.org

Matthew 13:1-23



What kind of soil are you?

Parish Office Información de la Parroquia

270.753.3876
Mon/lunes-Thurs/jueves:
8 am - 4 pm
Friday/viernes: 8 am - 12 pm

Reconciliation Reconciliación

Wednesday/miércoles: 5:00-5:45 pm
Saturday/sábado: 2:00-3:00 pm
OR: by appointment/
con cita previa

Mass Schedule / horario de misas

July 13	Monday	lunes	12:05 pm	Carl & Belinda Woods
July 14	Tuesday	martes	-----	No mass/sin misa
July 15	Wednesday	miércoles	6:00 pm	Robert Weaver†
July 16	Thursday	jueves	-----	No mass/sin misa
July 17	Friday	viernes	12:05 pm	Patty Lewis†
July 18	Saturday	sábado	4:00 pm	Herman Bickett†
			6:00 pm (<i>esp</i>)	All Parishioners/todos los feligreses
July 19	Sunday	domingo	8:00 am	Fr. Gerald Baker†
			11:00 am	Kathleen Elkins

Parish Staff / personal de la parroquia

Fr. Josh McCarty <i>Pastor</i>	fr.josh@stleoky.org
Dcn. Jose Blanco <i>Permanent Deacon</i>	270.804.6971
Dcn. John Prough <i>Permanent Deacon</i>	john.prough@pastoral.org
Belinda Woods <i>Office Manager</i>	belinda@stleoky.org
Debra D'Angelo <i>PSR Coordinator</i>	debbie@stleoky.org
Nathan Hughes <i>Director of Music Ministry</i>	nathan@stleoky.org
Deanna Swaggart <i>Director of Evangelization</i>	deanna@stleoky.org
Philomena Hempel <i>Director of Campus Ministry</i>	philomena@stleoky.org
Kathleen Elkins <i>Parish Liaison</i>	kathseguin47@gmail.com
Joseph Woods <i>Office Staff</i>	joseph@stleoky.org

The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest
Luke 8:8

Stewardship of Treasure

Stewardship, July 5, 2026	
Regular Collection	\$10,005.00
Online Collection	\$1,273.82
Mass Intentions	\$20.00
Social Outreach (At the Door)	\$732.00
Land Acquisition Project	\$665.00
Candle	\$15.00
Capital Improvements Fund	\$786.00
Total St. Leo	\$13,496.82
Base Budget/Week	\$9,730.53
Average YTD Budget Amount	\$9,730.53
YTD Collection	\$10,772.00
Total Over Budget (YTD)	\$1,041.47
Newman House	
Regular Collection	\$225.50
Capital Campaign	\$796.33
Total Newman House	\$1,021.83
Custodial (Diocese of Owensboro)	
Peter's Pence	\$5.00
Total Custodial	\$5.00

How to Volunteer / cómo ser voluntario

Bereavement Meals	Connie Heuser	jphcsh@hotmail.com
Bible Study	Mary Haney	mary8902@aol.com
Choir	Nathan Hughes	nathan@stleoky.org
Community Life	Linda Ohnemus	lsohnemus@gmail.com
Coordinator of Office Volunteers	Kathleen Elkins	kathseguin47@gmail.com
Coordinator of Soup for the Soul	Brian Bourke	brian.bourke@gmail.com
Finance Council Chair	Sean Caldwell	sean.caldwell@wkec.org
Head of Altar Servers	Brian Bourke	brian.bourke@gmail.com
Head of EMHC	Jen Caldwell	jencaldwell1112@gmail.com
Head of Hospitality	John Amberg	johnamberg2@gmail.com
Head of Lectors	Colleen Seiber	colleen.seiber@gmail.com
Head of Liturgical Ministry	Doug Walton	dougo1947@gmail.com
Head of Sacristans	Chris Watson	watsonchristophert@gmail.com
Knights of Columbus	Brian Bourke	brian.bourke@gmail.com
Marriage Preparation	Deanna Swaggart	deanna@stleoky.org
Men's Group (<i>That Man Is You</i>)	Shawn Touney	shawn.touney@gmail.com
OCIA (<i>Becoming Catholic</i>)	Tommy Thompson	allthingsocia@gmail.com
Parish Council Chair	Shawn Touney	shawn.touney@gmail.com
Parish School of Religion	Debbie D'Angelo	debbie@stleoky.org
Pastoral Care of the Sick	John & Connie Heuser	jphcsh@hotmail.com
Stephen Ministry (<i>Compassionate Caregiving</i>)	Joy Navan	bjnavans@gmail.com
Zumba	Belinda Woods	belinda@stleoky.org

Safe Environment

The Office of Safe Environment at the Diocese of Owensboro works for the protection of children, young people and other vulnerable individuals who have been entrusted to the care of our parishes, schools, religious education classes and other diocesan programs.

To report suspected abuse call:
Kentucky Child Protection

Hot Line:

1-877-597-2331 (Toll Free)

or contact Commonwealth Attorney:

The Honorable Dennis Foust

80 Judicial Drive

Benton, KY 42025

Phone: (270) 527-3624;

Fax: (270) 527-3344

To report abuse to the diocese, current or past, by anyone acting in the name of the Church, call:

Louanne Payne

Pastoral Assistance Coordinator

270-852-8380

Para reportar abusos a la diocesis, ya sean actuales o anteriores, por parte de cualquier persona que actua en nombre de la Iglesia, favor de llamar:

Susan Montalvo-Gesser /

Miguel Quintanilla

Coordinador de Asistencia Pastoral

270-880-8360

St. Leo Responds to Community Needs

St. Leo parishioners generously support three local community organizations: **Need Line**, **The Moses Basket**, and **Life House**. The Moses Basket helps provide clothing and other essential items for foster children as they enter their new foster homes. Please consider supporting these important ministries by donating new, unopened items.

Need Line

- July 6-11
- canned tomatoes
- razors
- July 12-18
- canned fruit
- toilet paper

The Moses Basket

- Boys/girls clothing size preemie-kids 16: pajamas, formal outfits, jackets, hats and gloves, shoes
- Hygiene: diapers and diaper cream, dental, brushes, combs, socks, bras, underwear, infant towels, blankets
- Toys: books and board books, small toys, games or puzzles, small stuffed animals

Life House

- size 4, 5, & 6 diapers
- crib sheets
- wipes
- size 2T/3T pull-ups
- baby wash
- baby lotion
- baby food

Bulletin Submissions

Send articles and photos to info@stleoky.org
Due Tuesdays by noon.

Lift Your Voice! - Build Our Community

We're growing our parish choir and we'd love to have you join us!

Summer Break

Our parish choir is taking a break for the summer and will resume rehearsals this fall.

No formal training required. For more information, contact Nathan Hughes - nathan@stleoky.org - or just show up.

Flocknote

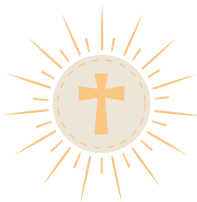
Text **STLEOKY** to 84576
or connect with us
online at

stleocatholicchurch.flocknote.com

Receiving the Sacraments

If you are interested in becoming Catholic or need to prepare to receive any sacrament, email us at info@stleoky.org or call 270-753-3876.

Note: Marriage preparation should begin at least 6 months prior to the proposed wedding date.



Recibir los Sacramentos

Si está interesado en hacerse católico o necesita prepararse para recibir algún sacramento, por favor envíenos un correo electrónico a info@stleoky.org.

Nota: La preparación matrimonial debe comenzar al menos 6 meses antes de la fecha propuesta para la boda.

Parish Hall & Classroom Use

Parish hall or classroom use for all meetings must be cleared through the Parish Office. All non-parish events: showers, rehearsal dinners, weddings & anniversaries, receptions must be reserved 3 weeks before the event. The Diocese requires the purchase of an insurance policy covering non-parish events.

To make a reservation, please contact:
Debbie D'Angelo - debbie@stleoky.org.



Tuesday Nights!
Hosted by KofC, Fr. Saffer Council.
First game begins at 6:30pm!



**Kentucky Lions
Eye Foundation**

The Kentucky Lions Eye Foundation provides vision services through education, detection, prevention, treatment and empowerment. Donate your unneeded frames today.



Office will be closed on July 15



Thank you for your understanding!

Weekly Events / eventos semanales

July 13 - July 19, 2026

Monday lunes July 13 13 de julio	Tuesday martes July 14 14 de julio	Wednesday miércoles July 15 15 de julio	Thursday jueves July 16 16 de julio	Friday viernes July 17 17 de julio	Saturday sábado July 18 18 de julio	Sunday domingo July 19 19 de julio
12:05 PM Mass / Misa	NO MASS / SIN MISA 11:00 am Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet / Rosario y Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia 5:00pm Zumba 6:00 pm Adoration / Adoración BINGO 6:30 pm Knights of Columbus	OFFICE CLOSED / OFICINA CERRADA 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Adoration / Adoración 5:00pm-5:45pm Reconciliation / Reconciliación 6:00pm Mass / Misa	NO MASS / SIN MISA 5:00pm Zumba	12:05 PM Mass / Misa	No Reconciliation / Sin Reconciliación 4:00 pm Mass 6:00 pm Misa	8:00 am Mass / Misa 11:00 am Mass / Misa

Saturday, July 18 @ 4 pm		Sunday, July 19 @ 8 am		Sunday, July 19 @ 11 am	
Coordinator: Renee Fister Sacristan: Mary Haney Servers: Mark Dobiñal, Donna Jones	Lector: Marry Jacobs EMHC: Jan Super, Andrea White, Belinda Woods	Coordinator: Amy Amberg Sacristan: Debbie D'Angelo Servers: Harper Hopgood, Jake Sevilla	Lector: Jen Caldwell EMHC: Jennifer Newman, Jim Newman, Jennifer Sevilla	Coordinator: Doug Walton Sacristan: Deanna Swaggart Servers: Amanda Ezinma, Goodluck Ezinma, Brady Woodall, Taylor Wright	Lector: Sister Bella Ezumah EMHC: Brandi Besand, Shanna Woodall, Judith Wright
PRAYER REQUESTS / PETICIONES DE ORACIÓN Amalia Romero Andrew Bell Bennie & Gay Deaton Beth Fischer Bill & Rosa Crass Bridget Fish Charles Rust Debbie Smith Donna Hofer Donna Jones Dottie Zimmerman Ed Prough Ed Wolf Gini Greer		Grady DeLoach Harold & Barbara Jones Javier Luis Reyes Parker Jill Shroat Bland Joan Krieb John Heuser Kayla Crutcher Lida Clapp Linda Paluso Lori Barnett Makenzie Acabal Mary Fuhrmann Mary Janie Murphy		Mike Lockett Naomi Cunningham Nolan & Bertha Miller Paige Pruitt Pat Richardson Pearl Payne Robert DeLoach Ruth Youngers Tatum Decker Tennille Oliver Teresa Lockett Tim Moneke	

To add or remove a name from our prayer list call 270-753-3876
Para agregar o quitar un nombre de nuestra lista de oración, por favor envíe un correo electrónico a info@stleoky.org

Schedule is subject to change based on substitution requests.



ST. LEO

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION REGISTRATION NOW OPEN! FOR STUDENTS IN KINDERGARTEN - 12TH GRADE

Registration Dates:

- Sunday, July 19 & 26 | 9am - 11am
- Sunday, August 2 | 9am - 11am
- Saturday, August 8, 2026 | 4:00pm - 7:30pm
- Sunday, August 9, 2026 | 9am - 11am

- All school-age students must register;
- Sacramental students and parents must meet with the PSR Coordinator;
- Tuition: \$25.00 for one student; \$45.00 for two students; \$65.00 for three or more students.
- PSR begins Sunday, August 23, 2026 at 9:15am



**REGISTER
TODAY!**



stleoky.org



debbie@stleoky.org



(270)753-3876

Community Bulletin Board



ST. LEO PARISH ANNUAL YARD SALE

Clean Out. Give Back. Bless Others!

AUGUST 13-15

The Community Life Committee and Cheryl Chadwick are once again hosting St. Leo Parish's Annual Yard Sale!
Your unwanted items are someone else's treasures.
Declutter, donate, and make a difference!



DONATION DROP-OFF

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9
1:30 - 3:30 PM

**MONDAY - WEDNESDAY,
AUGUST 10-12**
9:00 AM - 6:00 PM

YARD SALE HOURS

**THURSDAY & FRIDAY,
AUGUST 13-14**
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM



WE NEED MANY HELPING HANDS!

We need volunteers to sort donations, hang clothes, organize merchandise, and help during the sale. We also always manage to have a lot of fun!



The Annual Yard Sale, along with our Fish Fries, is one of only two parish-wide fundraisers held each year. Last year's sale raised **over \$5,200**, and with your help, we hope to do even better this year. Every donation and every volunteer makes a difference in supporting our parish!

Thank You!



WANT TO HELP?

Simply come by during the hours the Parish Hall is open!

Thank you for your generosity and support of St. Leo Parish!

QUESTIONS? CONTACT:

LINDA OHNEMUS ☎ (270) 293-5149

CHERYL CHADWICK ☎ (270) 973-1365

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HOW TO PAY:

You may pay **Katie Pearson** via personal check or money by giving it to her or placing it in the collection basket at Mass. On your envelope please **label with your name & email address.**

**ORDERS DUE
MONDAY,
JULY 20TH**



QUESTIONS?

Please text or call Katie at (812) 205-6981 or email kpearson2007@icloud.com



THE SUBSCRIPTION WILL BEGIN WITH THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.



NOW HIRING:

Director of Hispanic Ministry

St. Leo Catholic Church seeks a part-time Director of Hispanic Ministry (10 hours/week, \$10,000/year stipend) to provide pastoral presence, sacramental support, and cultural leadership for our Spanish-speaking community.

The Director builds the bridges — personal, liturgical, and administrative — that welcome Spanish-speaking parishioners into the full life of the parish. Responsibilities include mentoring lay leaders, supporting sacramental preparation, and ensuring our beloved annual feasts — *Our Lady of Guadalupe*, the *Guadalupe Novena*, and *Las Posadas* — are celebrated beautifully.

Qualifications: a practicing Catholic in good standing, fluent in Spanish and English, with strong interpersonal and organizational skills. Nights and weekends required according to pastoral need.

Interested?

Contact the parish office at belinda@stleoky.org.



Since the market tends to promote extreme consumerism in an effort to sell its products, people can easily get caught up in a whirlwind of needless buying and spending.
—Pope Francis, Laudato Si'

Time to clean out your closets and get ready for the Annual St. Leo Yard Sale August 10-15! Your donations keep numerous items out of the landfill and benefit St. Leo as well. You might find a few bargains, too!

Thank you!

Jesus s U!