

SAINT LEONARD PARISH

July 11, 2021 ~ Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



Mass Schedule

Saint Leonard Church

Saturday: 5:00PM
Confession 4:15 - 5:00PM and upon request

Sunday 9:00 AM
10:30 AM (Italian)
12:00 Noon
Monday - Friday 12:05PM

Saint Stephen Church

Saturday: 4:00PM
Sunday 11:00 AM
Thursday and Friday 7:30 AM

Sacred Heart Church

is temporarily closed

Saint John School

School Hours
Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Tel: 617-227-3143

Saint Francis Gift and Book Store

Monday thru Thursday 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Friday: 1:00pm - 8:00pm
Saturday: 2:00pm - 8:00pm
Sunday: 10:00am - 6:00pm



Pastoral Staff

Pastor: Rev. Michael Della Penna, OFM
Deacon - Brother Charles Gingerich, OFM
Italian Ministry: Father Federico Cinocca
Sacristan: Charles Falla, OFS
Saint Stephen Rector: Rev. David Costello
Saint John School Principal: Claire Cassidy

Parish Office

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Thursday and Friday: 9:00 AM - 4:00PM
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Mass and Special Services

Monday 11:30 AM Rosary
12:05 PM Mass
12:45 PM Divine Mercy
Chaplet

Tuesday 11:30 AM Rosary
12:05 PM Mass
12:45 PM Saint Anthony Novena

Wednesday 11:30 AM Rosary
12:05 PM Mass
12:45 PM Litany of Saint Joseph
1st Wednesday of every month
Queen of Peace Prayer Group
6:30 PM Rosary, 7PM Mass

Thursday 11:30 AM Rosary
12:05 PM Mass
6:30 PM Rosary - 7:00 PM Mass
Pure In Heart, Young Adults
Rosary and 7:00 PM Mass

Friday 11:30 AM Rosary
12:05 PM Mass
3:00PM - 3:30PM
Chaplet of Divine Mercy/
Benediction

SAINT LEONARD CHURCH

Mass Intentions July 10 - July 17

July 10 – Saturday

5:00pm Carol Solomine; Connie Russo; Vera Parente; Anna Raduazzo; Joie Filkins; Gaetano Russo; Guy Michael Russo

July 11- Sunday

9:00am Deceased Members of the DePasquale Family;
Deceased Members of the Varano Family;
All souls who have no one to pray for them;
Carita Mattola; Anthony Jr. Troisi; Dolores Marolla; Mario Pallotta; Arthur Gambale;
10:30am. Giovanni Petrillo; Benita Pintone;
Angelo & Pasqualina Pagliuca; Norma Nappi
12:00pm. Michael DeMayo; Joan Santoro;. Madonna Della Grazie Feast Day; For our generous supporters: we pray for all those who have asked us to pray for them and for those who have no one to pray for them.

July 12 – Monday

12:05pm. Mary & Dante Fiore

July 13 – Tuesday

12:05pm Joseph & Josephine Trodella

July 14- Wednesday

12:05pm Joseph Angiulo

July 15 – Thursday

12:05pm Mary R. Whitten

July 16– Friday

12:05pm. Nancy J. Caruso

July 17 – Saturday

5:00pm Anthony Padrillo; Arthur & Carmella Montuori



Seeking help in the Parish office:

We are seeking to hire regular, part time staff, to help in the parish office.

The work includes office work, bookkeeping, communications and a sundry of other activities.

If interested, inquire in the Parish Office and ask for John Kutch.

SAINT STEPHEN CHURCH

Mass Intentions July 10- July 17

July 10 – Saturday

4:00 pm. – Intentions of Saint James Society

July 11 – Sunday

11:00 am. –Theresa Colarusso

July 15 – Thursday

7:30 am - David Farrell

July 16 – Friday

7:30 am - Intentions of Saint James Society

July 17 – Saturday

4:00 pm. – Madeline D'Ambrosio

SAINT OF THE WEEK

SAINT PETER CHRYSOLOGUS

Saint Peter was born at Imola, Italy in 406. He was baptized, educated, and ordained a deacon by Cornelius, Bishop of Imola. After serving as a deacon in Imola, Saint Peter was given the name Chrysologus, meaning golden worded in Greek, as a result of his exceptional oratorical ability. In 433, Pope Sixtus III consecrated him bishop of Ravenna. As bishop, Peter practiced many corporal and spiritual works of mercy, and shepherded his flock with utmost diligence and care.



The traditional account, as recorded in the Roman Breviary, is that Pope Sixtus III had a vision of St. Peter and St. Apollinaris, the first bishops of Rome and Ravenna respectively, who showed Sixtus a young man and said he was the next Bishop of Ravenna. When the group from Ravenna arrived in Rome including Cornelius and his archdeacon Peter, Sixtus recognized Peter as the young man in his vision and consecrated him as a bishop.

Known as The Doctor of Homilies, Peter was known for his short but inspired talks; he kept his sermons short for fear of boring his audience. After hearing his first homily as bishop, Empress Galla Placidia is said to have given him the surname Chrysologus, by which he is known. Galla Placidia was to become the patroness of many of Peter's projects. Peter worked to rid his city of the last vestiges of paganism and spoke against the Arian and Monophysite teachings, condemning them as heresies.

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Peter explained to his flock topics such as the Apostles' Creed, John the Baptist, and the Blessed Virgin Mary, and the mystery of the Incarnation, in simple and clear language. Peter advocated daily reception of Holy

Communion. He urged his listeners to have confidence in the forgiveness offered through Christ.

He died at Imola, Italy in 450 during the Pontificate of Pope Leo the Great. Saint Peter Chrysologus was declared a Doctor of the Church in 1729 by Pope Benedict XIII largely as a result of his simple, practical, and clear sermons. In the eighth century Felix of Ravenna preserved 176 of his homilies which have come down to us, nearly all dealing with Gospel subjects. His feast day is celebrated on July 30.



Peace Garden update:

Thank you again for the tremendous donations made to revitalizing the Peace Garden. During this month, you will see the existing entrance sign removed and a beautiful new entrance sign installed.



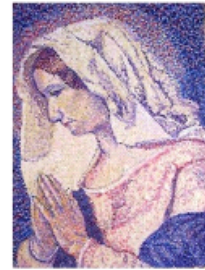
PURE IN HEART

Each Thursday, the Pure in Heart young adult group meets at Saint Leonard Church beginning with the Rosary at 6:30pm followed by Mass at 7:00pm. All young adults are welcomed.

PRAYER LIST

Please keep in your prayers all our Heroic Health Care workers and First Responders and all who are experiencing sickness due to the coronavirus.

Please remember all our parishioners and benefactors who are ill, the residents of North End Nursing Home, the elderly and homebound and those who are grieving the loss of a loved one and whomever is in need of special divine assistance. May the good Lord sustain and comfort them.



"Saint Leonard Happenings" -

Visit our new "Happenings" section of our Saint Leonard website. That's where you can find what's going on at Saint Leonard's and events coming up."

SAINT FRANCIS GIFT AND BOOK STORE

Visit the parish Gift and Book Store which features: Books, Rosaries, Saint Medals, Prayer Cards, Statues, Bracelets, Greeting Cards, monastery foods such as chocolates, Wine Jellies, Honey, Biscotti, flavored coffees, Fruitcake and other Religious items.



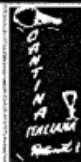
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