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FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

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St. Leo Oratory Clergy

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Regular Mass Schedule

Sundays:
8:00am Low Mass & 10:30am Sung Mass

Mondays & Wednesdays:
Low Mass at 7:00 *in the morning*

Tuesdays & Thursdays:
Low Mass at 7:00 *in the evening*

Fridays: Low Mass at 12:00 noon

First Fridays: additional Low Mass at 7:00pm

Saturdays: Low Mass at 9:00am

Regular Confession Schedule

Sundays: 7:15–7:55am & 9:45–10:25am

Mondays: 7:45am–8:15am

Tuesdays: 6:30–6:55pm

Wednesdays: 7:45–8:15am

Thursdays: 5:50–6:40pm

Fridays: 11:30–11:55am

1st Fridays: additional 5:50–6:30pm

Saturdays: 8:30–8:55am

Adoration

Thursdays: 5:45pm Holy Hour

1st Fridays: 5:45pm Holy Hour of Reparation

1st Saturdays: Exposition & Devotions after Mass

Divine Office

Sung Compline fifteen minutes following most Tuesday & Thursday 7:00pm Masses during the year. Please consult the weekly schedule for confirmation.

Welcome to St. Leo Oratory!

St. Leo Oratory is an apostolate of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest under the authority of the Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Columbus. The Institute celebrates Holy Mass according to the 1962 Roman Missal, commonly known as the "Traditional Latin Mass."

Registration as a Member of the Oratory: Active, registered members fulfill their Sunday obligation weekly or at least regularly at the Oratory, and contribute to the Oratory according to their means. If you would like to register, pick up a form or contact the Oratory office.

Conversion to the Catholic Faith: Those interested in becoming Catholic are encouraged to contact the rector of the Oratory by phone (614–443–7685) or email (stleo@icksp.org).

Infant Baptism: Parents requesting infant baptism for their child should be active, registered members of the Oratory. Infants should be baptized within the first few weeks after birth (Code of Canon Law, 867 §1), so contacting the rector in advance is recommended.

First Communion & Confirmation: Parents should be active, registered members of the Oratory. Contact the rector for information on preparation and enrolling your child for these sacraments.

Extreme Unction (Anointing of the Sick):
If an individual is facing serious illness or death, call 614–443–7685.

Holy Matrimony: At least one party should be an active, registered member of the Oratory. Couples should contact the rector at least seven months prior to their desired wedding date for more information. The Oratory wedding policy is available upon request.

Oratory Groups

Check the upcoming events column for announcements & schedule changes. For information, email stleo@icksp.org for transferal to the appropriate group.

Society of the Sacred Heart: The formal society for lay members within the spiritual family of the Institute of Christ the King.

Holy Name Society: Men's confraternity promoting reverence for the Holy Name & spiritual growth. Meets on 3rd Monday of the month.

Confraternity of Christian Mothers: Assists Catholic women in living faithfully their vocation of motherhood. Meets monthly.

Sursum Corda: Young adults 18–40. Meet-up at Plank's on Parsons the 1st Sunday of the month, event the 3rd Sunday of the month.

Teen Youth Group: Meets regularly for fellowship, fun activities & service events.

Adult Choir: Gregorian Chant and Renaissance Polyphony. Rehearses on Wednesdays at 6:30pm.

Children's Choir: Registration required. Rehearses most Tuesdays during the year at 6pm.

Children's Catechism: Registration required. Four levels. Classes most Tuesdays during the year beginning at 4:45pm.

Contributions to the Oratory — Thank You!

You may contribute by cash, check or online donation. Make **checks** out to "Institute of Christ the King" with "St. Leo Oratory" in the memo line. Mail or drop in the Sunday collection. **Online donations:** Use the QR code to set up one - time or recurring donations.

Sunday, May 3:
Cash/Checks: $4,951.00 Online: $2,689.49

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Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Sunday, May 10
Fifth Sunday After Easter *(2nd class; White)*
8:00am — *Joanne Bellisari, RIP (James & Edith Bellisari)*
10:30am — *Members & Benefactors of St. Leo Oratory*

Monday, May 11
Sts. Philip & James, Apostles *(2nd class; Red)*
7:00am — *James Maio & Finnian Foley (by Joshua & Clare McKenna)*

Tuesday, May 12
Sts. Nereus, Achilleus, Domitilla (Virgin), & Pancratius, Martyrs (*3rd class; Red*)
7:00pm — *Conversion of our Country & of the World (by Glenna Celestino)*
Compline (begins 15 minutes after Mass)

Wednesday, May 13
Vigil of the Ascension (*2nd class; White*)
7:00am — *Luz Angela Ortiz Giraldo (by Diana Madarang)*

Thursday, May 14
Ascension of Our Lord (*1st class; White*)
12:00 noon — *Members & Benefactors of St. Leo Oratory*
6:30pm — *Victor Wolfe, RIP (by the Hoback Family)*

Friday, May 15
St. Jean Baptiste de la Salle (*3rd class; White*)
12:00 noon — *Mariangela Scavo-Manno & Neil Piek (by Daniel & Suzanne Mahon)*

Saturday, May 16
St. Ubald, Bishop & Confessor (*3rd class; White*)
9:00am — *Silverhorse (by Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Smith)*

Sunday, May 17
Sunday After the Ascension *(2nd class; White)*
8:00am — *Members & Benefactors of St. Leo Oratory*
10:30am — *Maria Rakowsky (Elizabeth Sloan)*

The Appeal 2026

Dear Faithful: it is time once again for the annual Diocesan Appeal. Envelopes are available in your pews. We will be collecting contributions throughout the month of May and June. *Check should be made out to "Institute of Christ the King" with "Appeal" in the memo line.* You can also donate online at columbuscatholicgiving.org, or by using the QR code on the envelope. St. Leo Oratory's participation in this Appeal is important, and it is an excellent way to fulfill the Precept to contribute to the support of the Church, as well as tangible sign of gratitude to our Bishop who is personally asking for your support. Please be generous according to your means!

— Canon David Silvey

National Sursum Corda Young Adult Retreat 2026

Registration is open for the National Sursum Corda Young Adult Retreat, taking place June 5-7, with an optional kayaking excursion on June 8. Held at Colombiere Retreat Center in Clarkston, MI, this retreat offers daily Mass, conferences, prayer, and opportunities for discussion and fellowship. The 2026 theme, "Beyond the Surface: Catholic Dialogue on Modern Taboos," will address contemporary cultural issues through the lens of Church teaching. Young adults ages 18–35 are invited to attend. **The registration deadline is May 11.**

Institute Summer Youth Camps 2026

Registration is still open for the 2026 Institute of Christ the King Youth Summer Camps, held at the Sacred Heart Retreat Center in Burlington, WI. These camps offer a full week of outdoor activities, daily Mass, prayer, and faith formation for youth ages 9–17, led by the Canons and clergy of the Institute. https://shrcburlington.org/summer-camp/

Next Confraternity and Lay Society Meetings

Saturday, May 16 after 9am Mass: *Society of the Sacred Heart Breakfast, Meeting & Conference. (This is the lay branch of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest.)*

Monday, May 18 at 6pm: *Holy Name Society Holy Hour, Dinner, Meeting & Conference (open to all men)*

Saturday, June 6 at 10:30am: *Confraternity of Christian Mothers Breakfast, Meeting, & Conference (open to all women)*

Our Lady of Fatima's Youth Crusade

Children confirmation age and older are invited to join us on May 17th after 10:30 High Mass to kickoff a new group, Our Lady of Fatima's Youth Crusade. This Marian Crusade focuses on increasing the sanctity of its members and praying for the salvation of poor forgotten souls. The kickoff day will include food, field games, and activities geared toward our Catholic Faith. Come join us for a fun filled day and learn more about Our Lady of Fatima's Youth Crusade. Contact RSVP to Mrs. Tabatha Dillman: jmjthedillmans@gmail.com

Upcoming Events & Activities

Sunday, May 10
Coffee & Donut Socials after both Masses

Tuesday, May 12
4:45pm Catechism Level 4
5:00pm Catechism Level 3
5:30pm Catechism Level 1
5:30pm Catechism Level 2
6:00pm Children's Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 14 — Ascension of Our Lord ***Not a Holy Day of Obligation in our Diocese, but attendance is encouraged***
12:00 noon Low Mass
6:30pm High Mass

Saturday, May 16
Children's Choir Dress Rehearsal after 9:00am Mass
Society of the Sacred Heart Meeting after 9:00am Mass

Sunday, May 17
Our Lady of Fatima Youth Crusade Meeting after the High Mass

Monday, May 18
6:00pm Holy Name Society Holy Hour, Dinner, & Meeting

Tuesday, May 19
No Catechism nor Children's Choir Rehearsal
Summer break begins

Saturday, May 23 — Vigil of Pentecost
9:00am Six Prophecies, Blessing of Baptismal Water, & High Mass

Sunday, May 24 — Pentecost Sunday
8:00am Low Mass & 10:30am High Mass

Saturday, May 30
First Communicant Rehearsal after 9:00am Mass

Sunday, May 31 — Trinity Sunday
Coffee & Donut Social after 8am Mass
First Holy Communions at the 10:30am High Mass
Reception following the Mass

Thursday, June 4 — Corpus Christi
6:30pm High Mass & Eucharistic Procession

Friday, June 5 — First Friday
12:00 noon Low Mass
5:45pm Holy Hour of Reparation
7:00pm Low Mass

Saturday, June 6 — First Saturday
9:00am Low Mass & Devotions
10:30am Confraternity of Christian Mothers Meeting

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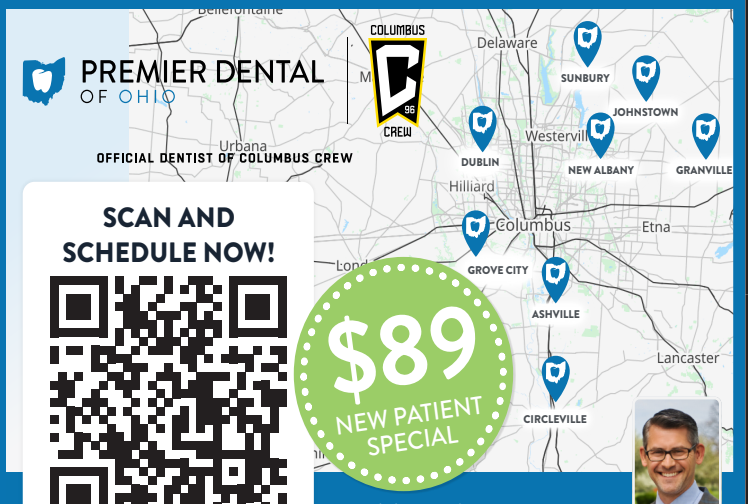

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