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ORATORY OF ST. LEO THE GREAT

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St. Leo Oratory Clergy

Rector: Rev. Canon David N. Silvey

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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.

Thursday, May 14: $682.00

Sunday, May 17:
Cash/Checks: $6,704.00 Online: $2,417.68

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Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Sunday, May 24
Pentecost Sunday *(1st class; Red)*
8:00am — *Living & Deceased Members of the Knott Family (by Anna Bingman)*
10:30am — *Members & Benefactors of St. Leo Oratory*

Monday, May 25
Pentecost Monday *(1st class; Red)*
7:00am — *Kelly Elizabeth Birnbrich, RIP (by Thomas Birnbrich)*

Tuesday, May 26
Pentecost Tuesday *(1st class; Red)*
7:00pm — *United States of America (by Drew & Holly Buenger)*
Compline (begins 15 minutes after Mass)

Wednesday, May 27
Ember Wednesday *(1st class; Red)*
7:00am — *Janet Seman, RIP (by David & Brenda Lozowski)*

Thursday, May 28
Pentecost Thursday *(1st class; Red)*
5:45pm Holy Hour
7:00pm — *Heidi van Beek (by Heidi van Beek)*
Compline (begins 15 minutes after Mass)

Friday, May 29
Ember Friday *(1st class; Red)*
12:00 noon — *Priests & Oblates (by Tom & Ursula Sarko)*

Saturday, May 30
Ember Saturday *(1st class; Red)*
9:00am — *Andrew & Leora Zwilling, RIP (by Scott Lewis)*

Sunday, May 31
Trinity Sunday *(1st class; White)*
8:00am — *Robert L. & Lynn Moehrman (Jr.) (by Anonymous)*
10:30am — *Members & Benefactors of St. Leo Oratory*

The St. Leo Homeschool Co-op registration and fee deadline is May 29.

Please email stleohomeschoolcoop@gmail.com for more information.

Sunday, June 14: Market Day

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers will be hosting a "Sanctify Your Summer" Market Day fundraiser after both Masses in the courtyard near the Priory (weather permitting, otherwise in the former convent). CCM families will be selling a variety of items including Catholic home decor, baked goods, handmade rosaries and other religious items, some with the Sacred Heart of Our Lord as the theme. There will also be a table offering gently used clothing. If you would like to donate items or volunteer, please email ccmstleo@gmail.com. We hope you will come out in support of the CCM's biannual fundraiser!

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/

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

The St. Leo Homeschool Cooperative cordially invites you to the inaugural theater production:

The Enclosed Garden by Ellen Teaford

The story of St. Therese of Lisieux and her family

It is short form drama inspired by St. Therese's Garden of Souls imagery, based on the *Story of a Soul* and highlighting Therese's little way. There will be two performances at:

Our Lady of Guadalupe (Holy Name Church)
154 E. Patterson Ave
Columbus, Ohio 43202

Matinee: ***Wednesday, May 27th at 2:30pm***
****Evening Performance:** ***Thursday, May 28th at 7:00pm***
Admission is free. Donations accepted.

***There will be an optional potluck dinner prior to the Thursday evening performance from 5:30pm–6:30pm. Guests are welcome to bring a dish to share and enjoy a meal with the cast ahead of the show!*

Upcoming Events & Activities

TODAY: 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

Friday, June 12 — Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
12:00 noon Low Mass
6:30pm High Mass with performance of the Mass in B Flat Major of W.A. Mozart by the Ensemble Una Voce with guest conductor Stephen Caracciolo

Monday, June 15
6:00pm Holy Name Society Holy Hour, Dinner, & Meeting

St. Leo's Coffee Club

Do you enjoy a good cup of coffee or tea? Do you want to support St. Leo Oratory? Then consider purchasing your coffee or tea through the St. Leo's Coffee Club! Bi-monthly, the Club places a group order with Mystic Monk Coffee and orders are delivered to St. Leo's for pick up at your convenience. The coffee is roasted by Carmelite Monks in Wyoming, and it is through selling coffee and tea that the Monks support their way of life. Proceeds from every purchase directly benefit St. Leo's! For more information, please contact Jennifer Brenner at jennifer.brenner01@gmail.com. To learn more about Mystic Monk Coffee please visit their website: mysticmonkcoffee.com.

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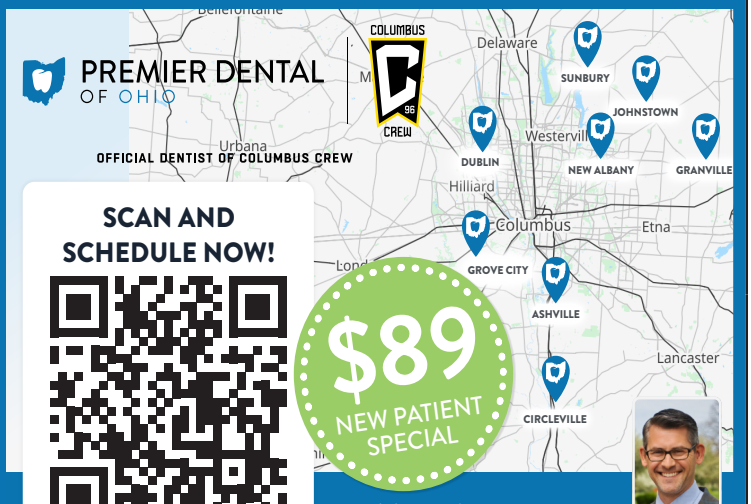

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