

October 8, 2017 The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Leonard's Port of Mauritius Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Fridays 9AM – 1PM. (or by appointment). **(October 20th office hours will be 9am to 10:30am)**

<u>Sunday, October 8th:</u>	8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth	
	10:30AM Mass at St. Leonards	+ Norman and Betty Craig
	Confessions after Mass on Sundays	
Monday, October 9th:	No Mass	Rosary group meets at 5:30PM
Tuesday, October 10th:	No Mass	
Wednesday, October 11th:	2:00PM at high rise	
Thursday, October 12th:	8:30AM Mass at St Elizabeth	
Friday, October 13th:	8:30AM Mass at St Leonard's	+Norman and Betty Craig
	Perpetual Adoration 9AM – 10PM (use east door)	
Saturday October 14th:	4:00PM Mass at St Elizabeth	
Sunday October 15th:	8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth	
	10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's	+Norman and Betty Craig
	12:30 Misa En Espanol en San Leonardo	

Lay Ministry Schedule today:

<u>Servers</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Collection Counters</u>
E Welch	P Scheman	S Larson	S Johnson	P Krekelberg
G Treinen		L Treinen	R Fettig	A Peterson
		D Burnham	M Driscoll	
		P Stotesbery	C Stotesbery	

Lay Ministry Schedule October 15th:

<u>Servers</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Collection Counters</u>
B Severson	N Hilber	R Fettig	L Treinen	S Maresh
E Welch		J Stetz	C Treinen	S Bruggeman
		P Waller	C Berry	
		N Schermerhorn	D Bruggeman	

Religious education registration is underway --. Please register your child(ren) after Mass so that materials can be ordered and course planning can take place. Registration forms are in back of the church on both sides. Parents will be notified when classes are scheduled to begin and the date/time will be published in the bulletin.

October 22 is World Mission Sunday: Please remember the Missions with your prayers and donations. There is an envelope in your Offering box for this collection. Please place your Mission donation in the collection basket. This day is set aside for the Catholic Church throughout the world to publicly renew its commitment to the missionary movement. To listen to Pope Francis message to Catholics visit <http://www.usccb.org/about/evangelization-and-catechesis/world-missions/> and click on the Message link.

You can still donate for diocesan hurricane relief through October 29th: place your donation in the collection basket clearly marked Hurricane Relief and if you wish to specify which area write Florida, Texas, or Puerto Rico.

***All Saints Day (November 1st) is a Holy Day of Obligation—Mass will be at 6:30PM on Wednesday, November 1st at St Leonard's.**

If you miss Mass on Sunday, bulletins are available from the hanging folder on the rectory front steps. Also on-line.

Last Chance to volunteer!: — volunteers are needed to prepare, serve, and/or clean-up for the annual fundraiser--Roast Beef Dinner. Sign-up sheets for volunteers are in back of church, north side. The response so far is great, only a few more volunteers are needed. Please pick a time slot. **It is important to sign up** so that coordinators know how much help there will be and when. ***There are donation envelopes in the pews for those that wish to make a monetary donation to defray expenses of the beef dinner.**

SILENT AUCTION –The auction takes place the evening of the beef dinner. We are still looking for items to auction. Donations that have been successful in past sales include gift baskets (movie themes, Mary Kay, homemade foods, etc.), antiques and collectables, tickets to musical, theater, and sporting events, new sporting goods, Vikings wear (PR and Minnesota), patio furniture and gift cards – to name a few. To donate items contact Steve Larson 863-4062, Pete Waller, 863-3061 or drop off at the rectory office. Thanks from KC's!! Please try to have donations submitted by Sunday Oct 15.

Thank you to the volunteer kitchen/dining area cleaning crew: Evie and Bill Weis, Julie Ann Holt, Colleen Moerke, Mary Bongers, and Debbie Erickson. The kitchen looks great and is ready for preparing/serving the beef dinner!

NOTICE TO USHERS: We are doing Mass head counts again this month. The counting sheet is in back of each side of church through October. Thank you in advance for your assistance. Write in the count and leave the form for next Sunday. I will collect the forms after the last Mass of the month.

Please pray for those who are ill: Julie Severson Valerie Smischny Nancy Laird (sister of Gordon Gugel)
Allyssa Klinger (Niece of Steve Petersen) Terese Sculley (sister of Karla Schermerhorn)

Coffee for sale in the back of church, north side, directly from Guatemalan growers, \$10/bag. High quality coffee!

Area Events:

Fire department open house and light supper: October 11 4pm to 7pm Free Will donation for meal.

Grace Lutheran Church, Erhard October 11 @ 7pm: concert by the WoodPicks, free will offering, refreshments.

Join OAKS for an Oktoberfest Celebration!! Thursday, October 12th at the Pelican Rapids Senior Center starting at 2:00p.m., we will have special music by the "Country Auggies". We will be serving coffee & apple desserts. Any questions please call OAKS at 863-1515.

Riverfront Manor and Riverfront on Main October 13th from 11AM to 1PM Oktoberfest Chili Feed at Riverfront on Main! Also on October 20th from 2-4 we are celebrating our 2 year anniversary for Memory Care and our 15 year anniversary for Riverfront Manor at Riverfront Manor. Please join us for these events! Chili feed is \$6.

St Leonard's Fall beef dinner and silent auction: October 18th 4:30 to 7pm. A full roast beef dinner and dessert. Adults \$8, children 5-12 \$4, under age 4 are free. Carry out dinners are available.

Grace Lutheran Church, Erhard Saturday October 21st, 13th Annual chicken dinner from 4:30 to 7pm Free Will Offering

The Welcome Place has begun their annual winter clothing drive, items must be new or gently used and clean: coats, hats, and waterproof mittens are particularly needed. For questions call 863-2260 Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.