

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN WEST CENTRAL ALABAMA

St. Leo the Great Catholic  
Parish-Demopolis

St. Mary Catholic Parish—Eutaw

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic  
Parish—Livingston

Rev. Fr. George Maniangattu – Administrator

May 11, Fourth Sunday of Easter, Year C

Mass Intentions

**St. Leo** 8:00am-  
*Pro Populo*  
**St. Francis** 12:15pm-  
*Pro Populo*  
**St. Mary** 10:15am- 4:00pm (Sat)-  
*Pro Populo Pro Populo*

Altar Flower Intentions

@ St. Leo's-  
Flowers given in honor  
of all mothers and  
in memory of our  
deceased mothers.

DAILY MASS @ St. Leo's  
\*8:00 a.m. \*M-T-TH-F

**Last Week's Offertory** **5/4/2025**  
St. Leo: \$2,639.00  
St. Francis: \$1,799.00  
St. Mary: \$425.00

St. Leo Lector Schedule

	8:00 am	10:15 am
<b>May 11</b>	Louise Marzen	Denise Duke
<b>May 18</b>	Marti Herlong	Brian Sellers
<b>May 25</b>	Diane Brooker	Johnny Brooker
<b>June 01</b>	Louise Marzen	Josh Ochiltree



Happy Mother's Day!

Today, we give thanks to God for the gift of all mothers-biological, adoptive, foster, and spiritual. We honor the women who have nurtured us in faith, hope, and love, whether through motherhood, mentorship, or example. We also remember with gratitude and prayer those mothers who have gone before us into eternal life, entrusting them to the loving care of our Blessed Mother, Mary. May the intercession of the Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church and our heavenly mother, bring strength to the weary, comfort to the grieving, and blessings to all women who give of themselves in the spirit of motherhood.  
"Her children rise up and call her blessed." – Proverbs 31:28

A Short Mother's Day Prayer

Loving God, We thank  
You for the gift of  
mothers—for their love,  
their care, and their faith.  
Bless all mothers today:  
those with us, those who  
have gone home to You,  
and those who mother  
others in spirit. Through  
the intercession of Mary,  
our Blessed Mother, grant  
them grace, peace, and  
joy.  
Amen.

Adventure Awaits at Camp Tekakwitha!

Calling all teens! Ready to unplug, recharge your faith, and dive into a weekend of fun, friendship, and reflection? We're gauging interest for a retreat at **Camp Tekakwitha** in **Birmingham**—a place where hearts are lifted, friendships are formed, and God's presence is undeniable.

Think bonfires, prayer under the stars, powerful talks, and unforgettable memories. 🔥 Interested? Let Jesse Rios know by May 11 to get on the list.  
Let's make this retreat happen-your journey could start here!

Father George will be out of town Tuesday, leaving after the 8:00 A.M. daily mass, and Wednesday. He will be in meetings in Birmingham.  
Daily Mass will resume on Thursday morning.

"I am the good shepherd.  
The good shepherd lays down his  
life for the sheep."  
- John 10:11

Habemus Papam!

The Catholic Church joyfully welcomes Pope Leo XIV as the new Bishop of Rome and spiritual leader of over 1.3 billion Catholics worldwide.  
Chosen by the College of Cardinals, Pope Leo XIV began a new chapter of faith, hope, and unity for the global Church on May 8, 2025.  
Let us pray for strength, wisdom, and grace as he shepherds the flock of Christ in these challenging times.



"Mary, give me your heart: so beautiful, so pure, so immaculate; your heart so full of love and humility, that I may be able to receive Jesus in the Bread of Life and love Him as you loved Him."  
-St. Teresa of Calcutta

CCD Volunteers Needed!

The 2025-2026 CCD year still needs Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, and First Communion teachers. No teaching experience needed—training provided.  
✉ Contact Jesse Rios at [jesse.st.leo.dre@gmail.com](mailto:jesse.st.leo.dre@gmail.com) or call the parish office to learn more. Thank you for supporting this vital ministry!