

*If interested in serving as an LWC Minister, please fill out and hand in to Parish Office during regular office hours.*

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Address:

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City, State, Zip

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Best Phone:

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Best Email:

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Questions/Comments:

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For all other information, please call Kelly at:  
397-0407, or email at [kelly@stleo.net](mailto:kelly@stleo.net)

*"Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs."*

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# St. Leo Catholic Church



# Information Booklet

## **IN WORDS THEY CAN UNDERSTAND**

The Sacred Scriptures embody the living Word of God.

However, sometimes the readings at Mass are difficult for children to follow. That is why we have this special Ministry for children in which they can hear the Word of God in a language that makes sense to them. The lessons and themes of scripture are taught to them in interesting ways that relate to their young lives.

## **PROCLAIMER AND TEACHER**

This Minister Proclaims the Word by reading the First Reading and Gospel for that day. They then teach the word in order to help the children further understand what the readings of the week are all about.

## **SONG LEADER**

This Minister leads the children in singing the Responsorial Psalm of the day as well as a Gospel Acclamation (Alleluia). If time allows other songs of the season could be sung. A piano and guitar are available upon request.

## **FAQ'S**

### **Do you have to be a mandated Lector?**

*No. Anyone can be a Proclaimer/Teacher. Having other teaching experience is certainly a plus however.*

### **Do you have to prepare anything?**

*Yes. As a Proclaimer/Teacher, we ask that you read through the readings ahead of time so as to plan for what you are going to teach. Likewise, a Song Leader needs to practice the music ahead of time. A "Workbook" is provided for all LWC Ministers.*

### **How often will I be scheduled?**

*LWC Ministers are usually scheduled 1-2 times a month.*

### **Can I request weekends off?**

*Yes, we produce two month schedules throughout the year and have wonderful scheduling software that allow you to "request" weekends off. This can be done by informing Kelly via email or phone, or you can make use of our on-line interactive "Web-Terminal" (@ [www.stleo.net](http://www.stleo.net))*