ST. MICHAEL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

 751 Locust Street

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 St. Michael, Pennsylvania 15951

 Rev. Msgr. David A. Lockard, Administrator MASSES:

(814) 495-9640 Saturday 4:00 pm

 Sunday Morning 8:00 am

Secretary & Bookkeeper: 10:30 am

 Michele Panick Daily Mass: M, T, W, Th, F

 Noon

DRE: Laurie Sloan Holy Days: See Bulletin

Maintenance: Rodney Turgeon Office Hours:

PHONES: 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

Rectory / Office: (814) 495-9640 Monday, Tues., Thurs., Friday

Fax: (814) 495-9424 Closed Wednesdays

Rel. Education: (814) 495-4873 Confessions:

Parish Website Saturday 3:30 pm to 3:45 pm

[www.saintmichaelchurch.weebly.com](http://www.saintmichaelchurch.weebly.com) Sunday 7:30 am to 7:45 am

Secretaries’ E-mail By Appointment

saintmichaelsecretaries@yahoo.com

Facebook page:

St. Michael Catholic Church/St. Michael, PA

 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

 SERVING GOD AND COMMUNITY FOR OVER ONE HUNDRED YEARS!

 August 8th, 2021

BAPTISM: By Appointment. Reserve at least one month in advance.

MARRIAGE: Plan at least nine months in advance.

 Preparation sessions are necessary.

FUNERALS: Arrangements are made in conjunction with the funeral home.

REGISTRATION Those new to the area, newlyweds, and single adults, (even if

 and registered before with their families) are asked to register by calling

Membership: the Parish Office. Every parishioner must be registered. This is a condition for admission to our Program and reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, First Penance, First Eucharist, and Matrimony; also, for testimonial letters or sponsorship of Baptism and Confirmation outside the Parish.

VISITATION: We are concerned and want to be advised when someone is ill at home or in the hospital. Call the office to have the shut-in placed on our monthly Holy Communion calls or seriously ill prayer list.

SACRAMENTAL Parish registration and active Mass participation for Baptism is

POLICY: encouraged and is required for Marriage.

BULLETIN ARTICLES: Articles are due to the Parish Office by Noon on Tuesday.

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 Month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

**MASS INTENTIONS**: (August 9 – August 15, 2021)

Monday, August 9 Noon Health & Well Being of Cathy McMahon req. by Sondre & Maggie

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Tuesday, August 10 Noon Marie Minor req. by Jenny Long & family

Wednesday, August 11 Noon Edward & Margaret Yanzetich req. by David & Patricia Caldwell

Thursday, August 12 Noon Margaret Albertelli req. by Ramona Hoffman

Friday, August 13 Noon In Honor of Blessed Fr. Michael McGivney req. by Knights of

 Columbus

Saturday August 14 4:00 PM Vince Arena req. by Theresa Arena

Sunday, August 15 8:00 AM Rose Chalan req. by daughter Pauline Minor & family

 10:30 AM People of the Parish

LITURGICIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Saturday, August 14 4:00 PM Offertory Procession

Lector: Anthony Bambino Vince Arena Family

Minister of the Host: Alice Podrebarac

Choir Minister: Karen Myers

Altar Server: Dylan Kundrod

Cantor: Susan Blazosky

Greeter: Darlene Marshall

Sunday, August 15 8:00 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Pauline Minor Rose Chalan Family

Minister of the Host: Sally Kolar

Choir Minister: Marie Bernard

Altar Server: Ian Dobbins

Cantor: Sharon Dibble

Greeter: Carol Hautz

Sunday, August 15 10:30 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Carole Kakabar Michael Steele Family

Minister of the Host: Michael Barton

Choir Minister: Haidyn Koch

Altar Server: Jackson Henderson

Cantor: Louis McCloskey

Greeter: Nancy Wessel

Sunday, August 15 Collection Counters

 Sara Zybura, Chris Smay

 Mary Ann DeRosa

Weare placing names of the sick in the bulletin for prayer providing they give permission. *May the* *Divine Physician send healing grace for those for* *whom we pray:* Allen C. Rosemas, Patricia Murphy, Bernice Myers, Dwight Fyock, Dylon Wills, Missy, Joanne (Kolar) Hufford, Christine Flanagan, Ayden Alan Grata, Mary Lou Offman, Mary Zangaglia, Natalie Zerby, Valencia Tursi, Homer Locher, Brayden Schofield, Michelle Kasper, Diane Kingera, Ted Paluch, Pearl Litzinger, Patrick Munro, Fran Baldassarre, Kristen Sinosky Long, Cresta Micik, Basil Costantino, Laura, Joe Yoder, Dolores Yanzetich, Sandy Krug, Wanda Gramling, Jennifer Hagans, Shawn, Holly, Shane, Spencer, Owen Taylor, Derrick Varnish, Vincent Koshute, Michelle Elliott, Heather Romanow, Mackston Barrick, Connor Thomas, Erin, Pat, Mary Agnes Nastase, Mary Ann Bertolino, Dick Wilson, Izzy Bihun, Dorothy Kaminsky, Ashlee Madison, Susan Yanzetich, Alina Rusnak, Gary Smay, Elizabeth Howell, Walter Bodziak, Rhonda, Anne Robinson, Carter Bobak, Mike Morris, Sarah Kelt, Patty Yanzetich Caldwell, Colton Snyder, Nancy Edmiston, Leonard Oshaben, Adam, Janice Dipyatic, Lily Maloney, Scott, Lisa, Audrey Costlow, Cathy Sossong, Rosanne Krug, Becky Kakabar, Dolores Mucko, Elliana, Ashlee, Helen Soohy, Carol K. Fabrizio, Peggy Carpenter, Dave Seder, Rosalie Ambrose, Pearl Borlie, Joe (Runk) Slonac, Patty Gdula, Judy Barr, Ric Szelong, Lori Gramling, Babe Richards and all of the sick of our parish, the homebound, those in nursing homes, those who care for them, and those in the military along with their families. *(Please call the Rectory to have your name removed from the list when no longer seriously ill. Thank You.)*



LAST WEEK’S COLLECTION

Regular Offertory $4,871.60

Maintenance $ 78.00

Feast of the Assumption $ 35.00

Missionary Co-op $ 30.00

Total $5,014.60

We sincerely thank

and ask God’s blessing

 upon all who have care

 and concern for

our parish.

August 8, 2021 John 6:41-51

“Stop murmuring” Jesus told the disciples in today’s gospel. Complaining is a dead-end and

constant complaining is nagging. We might feel better but others feel bitter. Silence or grumbling

will not resolve the problem. Address differences honestly and respectfully. Do not make them personal attacks.



During the week of August 8th, 2021

the Sanctuary Candle will burn for the

Sick & Shut-Ins of Our Parish



MAY HE REST IN PEACE ~ In your charity, please pray for the eternal rest of Robert Podrebarac whose Funeral Mass was celebrated on Friday, August 6th, 2021. May he know the eternal peace and happiness promised by our Savior, Lord Jesus. Please pray for the consolation of all his family and friends.

SECOND SUNDAY FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION ~ This weekend is our Second Sunday Food Pantry Collection. Please bring in non-perishable food items or toiletries with you. Monetary donations are also appreciated.



ST. MICHAEL PARISH CORN ROAST ~ COME ONE! COME ALL! The Holy Name Society will be sponsoring an End of the Summer & Back to School Corn Roast on Sunday, August 22nd at 5:00 PM at the Pavilion. The corn, hot dogs, and drinks will be provided. There will be games! Bring yourself and a covered dish! Sign-up sheets are at the entrances of the Church. Please join us for our End of Summer & Back to School Fling!

ST. MICHAEL HOLY NAME SOCIETY FUNNEL CAKE BOOTH ~ Sign-up sheets are available at the back of the church for the Funnel Cake Booth at the Forest Hills Festival on September 4th, 5th, & 6th. You don’t have to be a member of the Holy Name Society to help. This is the Holy Name Society’s biggest fundraiser of the year!

BLESSED FR. MICHAEL MCGIVNEY ~ There will be a Mass in Honor of Blessed Fr. Michael McGivney at Noon on Friday, August 13th, his feast day. Blessed McGivney is the founder of the Knights of Columbus and was beatified on October 31st, 2020. His cause now entered the final phase toward canonization or sainthood.

FATIMA DEVOTIONS ~ The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R., from Loretto, invite you to participate with them in celebrating Fatima Devotions on Friday August 13th in the gardens at Mount Assisi at 6:30 PM. Will be held at the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel if inclement weather.

ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY LITURGY ~ Bishop Mark Bartchak and the Family Life Office cordially invite all couples celebrating 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60+ years of marriage in 2021 (and their families) to attend the Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy. Couples may attend Sunday, September 12th in ALTOONA at Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament or Sunday, September 19th in JOHNSTOWN at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. Both locations are handicap accessible. Liturgies in each location begin at 2:00 PM. Bishop Mark will be celebrant and homilist at each celebration. Refreshments/snacks will be available after the Mass for anniversary couples and their families, as COVID safety measures permit. Reservations must be made through your parish for either celebration by Monday, August 23rd.



 Religious Education And Christian Helping

 August 8, 2021

** Upcoming REACH Service Project

 The annual Forest Hills Labor Day Festival is back and will be held September 4th, 5th & 6th. The Festival is a great opportunity for our REACH students to help out and at the same time to earn 'Service Hour Credit' towards the community service requirement for their confirmation process.



REACH Festival Booth Fundraiser ~ The REACH Festival Booth sign-up sheets are ready and available for our students to choose a preferred day and time to help out with our 2 booths. We will be selling Apple Dumplings and Ice Cream Sundaes. This is our biggest REACH fundraiser. It’s a great opportunity for our REACH families to offer their assistance to our REACH Youth Ministry. Sign-up sheets are on the easel in the back of the church for REACH students and parents to sign-up for preferred time slots.

*REACH Student and Parent volunteers are needed to help with both booths for the 3-day weekend. Parent chaperones are needed in each booth for all 2-Hour time slots.*

 *Help will be greatly appreciated.*

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*New volunteers are always needed to help with our parish children.*

We need your help to carry out our activities and projects at the parish.

If you are willing to do so, FIRST we need to obtain your clearances.

The PENNSYLVANIA CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICE LAW requires all PA clearances and training for anyone working with our parish children. All helpers, volunteers and any other adults who wish to help chaperone or mentor our children in any way are required to have and will need these clearances. The clearances are free of charge for all volunteers.

Our Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown also requires all volunteers to be registered with VIRTUS Online and complete the Youth Protection Awareness Training.

Please contact the Religious Education Office at 495-4873 or the Parish Office at

495-9640 for information on how to obtain these clearances. Completing the clearance process will help assure that we have an adequate number of compliant volunteers able to help with our youth when needed for our Religious Education and Youth Ministry programs and activities.

 Sunday, August 8 Mass ~ 8:00 & 10:30 AM

 Confessions / 7:30 – 7:45 AM & 10:00 – 10:15 AM / In the Confessional

 Second Sunday Food Pantry Collection

 Hall Rental / 3:00 PM

 Monday, August 9 Mass ~ Noon

 Tuesday, August 10 Mass ~ Noon

 Boy Scouts / Hall / 7:30 – 9:00 PM

 Wednesday, August 11 Mass ~ Noon

 CCD Teachers Meeting / Hall / 6:30 PM

 Thursday, August 12 Mass ~ Noon

 Friday, August 13 Mass ~ Noon

 Saturday, August 14 Mass / 4:00 PM

 Confessions / 3:30 – 3:45 / In the Confessional

 UPCOMING EVENTS

 August 15 Pavilion Rental

 Liturgy Committee Meeting

 Rowan Rebekah Minor Baptism

 August 21 Charles Frear / Sabrina Appley Nuptials

 August 22 Parish Corn Roast

WISDOM LITERATURE & PSALMS ZOOM CLASS ~ Deacon Michael Russo will be teaching this six week Zoom course to study the biblical Wisdom Literature and selected Psalms with a focus on their underlying message and the literary contribution of ancient Israel to world literature. The registration fee for this class is $45 and the required books can be purchased online at Amazon.com. For registration & book information, please contact Marybeth at 814-361-2000 or by email at mheinze@dioceseaj.org. Registrations and information can be found at [www.dioceseaj.org/lay=ecclesial-ministry](http://www.dioceseaj.org/lay%3Decclesial-ministry). All are welcome!

CATHOLIC MEN’S CONFERENCE ~ A Catholic Men’s Conference is being held at Holy Name Church, Ebensburg on September 11th. Guest Speaker is Bas Rutten. Advance tickets only by calling 814-472-7244.

POLISH DAY OF MERRIMENT ~ In honor of their Polish heritage, Queen of Angels Parish in Central City is sponsoring their “Summer Dyngus Party” on Saturday, August 21st at their parish hall (738 Sunshine Ave.). The event includes live polka music by Li’l John Nalevanko and the ATM Band, games of chance, all you can eat buffet of homemade ethnic foods, beer, and soft drinks. For tickets, please call 754-5224. All proceeds benefit the parish CCD program.

“BISHOP’S NIGHT OF VOCATIONS” ~ Is God Calling you to become a Deacon? If so, you and your wife (if married) are invited to join Bishop Mark & Deacon Michael Russo on Tuesday, September 21st at 7 PM at the US Hotel Tavern, Hollidaysburg. Reservations for this event are required and can be made by contacting Marybeth at 814-361-2000. Deadline for reservations is August 20th. For more information on the permanent Diaconate please visit us online at [www.dioceseaj.org/Diaconate/](http://www.dioceseaj.org/Diaconate/) or by contacting Deacon Michael Russo, Director at 814-288-3036. All are welcome!