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

DRE: Laurie Sloan 9:00 am

Maintenance: Rodney Turgeon Holy Days: See Bulletin

PHONES: Office Hours:

 Rectory / Office: (814) 495-9640 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

Fax: (814) 495-9424 Monday, Tues., Thurs., Friday

Rel. Education: (814) 495-4873 Closed Wednesdays

Parish Website Confessions:

[www.saintmichaelchurch.weebly.com](http://www.saintmichaelchurch.weebly.com) Saturday 3:30 pm to 3:45 pm

Secretaries’ E-mail Sunday 7:30 am to 7:45 am

saintmichaelsecretaries@yahoo.com 10:00 am to 10:15 am

Facebook page: By Appointment

St. Michael Catholic Church/St. Michael, PA

 Epiphany of the Lord

 SERVING GOD AND COMMUNITY FOR OVER ONE HUNDRED YEARS!

 January 2nd, 2022

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



 The Epiphany of the Lord

 January 2nd, 2022

**MASS INTENTIONS**: (January 3 – January 9, 2022)

Monday, January 3 9:00 AM Theresa L. Molnar req. by the Family

Tuesday, January 4 9:00 AM E. Irene Danel req. by Gayle & Wayne Fyock

Wednesday, January 5 NOON William Shay req. by Joe & Cathy Faher

Thursday, January 6 9:00 AM No Mass

Friday, January 7 9:00 AM No Mass

Saturday, January 8 4:00 PM People of the Parish

Sunday, January 9 8:00 AM Eva Stahr-Kessler req. by Doug & Maureen Puchko

 10:30 AM Thomas Murin req. by Mary Ann Murin & family

LITURGICIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Saturday, January 8 4:00 PM Offertory Procession

Lector: Sandy Bambino Dennis & Babe Richards

Minister of the Host: Karen Myers

Choir Minister: Susan Blazosky

Altar Server: Brooke Williamson

Cantor: Amanda Williamson

Greeter: Joanne Thomas

Sunday, January 9 8:00 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Terri Leach Eva Stahr-Kessler Family

Minister of the Host: Pauline Minor

Choir Minister: Ellen Grattan

Altar Server: Ian Dobbins

Cantor: Susan Yanzetich

Greeter: Lori George

Sunday, January 9 10:30 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Michael Barton Jim & Heidi Fisher Family

Minister of the Host: Michael Steele

Choir Minister: Haidyn Koch

Altar Server: Jackson Henderson

Cantor: Louis McCloskey

Greeter: Wendy Blough

Sunday, January 9 Collection Counters

 Mary Ann DeRosa, Sara Zybura

 Chris Smay

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, Dwight Fyock, Dylon Wills, Missy, Joanne (Kolar) Hufford, Christine Flanagan, Ayden Alan Grata, Mary Lou Offman, Natalie Zerby, Valencia Tursi, 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, 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, Lori Gramling, Babe Richards, Ruth Ferchalk, Kathy Glenn Ripper, Ernie Martinage, Mildred Andrykovitch, Katelyn Engle, John Patterson 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 $3,083.50

Maintenance $ 625.00

Holy Days $ 25.00

Christmas $6,962.00

Diocesan Collections $ 45.00

Christmas Flowers $ 150.00

Easter 2022 Flowers $ 30.00

Total $10,920.50

We sincerely thank

and ask God’s blessing

 upon all who have care

 and concern for

our parish.



*January 2 / Epiphany of the Lord*

*We observe today the great Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord. From poor and humble shepherds to the international group of magi, Jesus makes it clear that He offers Himself as a gift to everyone. We also learn through the Gospel of Matthew that God uses what is familiar to us to draw us to Him. Our Lord continues to speak to each one of us.*



During the week of January 2nd, 2022

the Sanctuary Candle will burn for the

Sick & Shut-Ins of Our Parish

MAY SHE REST IN PEACE ~ In your charity, please pray for the eternal rest of Jessica Freidhoff whose Funeral Mass was celebrated on Thursday, December 23rd, 2021. May she know the eternal peace and happiness promised by our Savior, Lord Jesus. Please pray for the consolation of all her family and friends.

MASS TIME CHANGE ~ On Wednesday, January 5th, the Mass time is changed from 9:00 AM to 12 Noon.

NO MASSES ~ Msgr. Lockard will undergo cataract surgery this Thursday, January 6th. Please keep him in your prayers. As a result, there will be NO Masses on Thursday, January 6th and Friday, January 7th.

PASTORAL COUNCIL ~ The Pastoral Council Meeting originally planned for Sunday, January 9th, 2022 has been changed to Sunday, January 16th, 2022 after the 10:30 AM Mass.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY ~ Will hold their meeting on Sunday, Jan. 9th in the Church Hall after the 8:00 AM Mass.

COFFEE & DONUTS ~ There will be coffee & donuts in the Hall next Sunday, Jan. 9th after the 8:00 AM Mass.

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

SUNDAY CHOIR ~ Next rehearsal is Monday, January 3rd, 2022 at 7 PM. All are Welcome!

ADDITIONAL CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS ~ In memory of: Michael & Mary Blazosky Jr., Joseph & Tillie Slonac, Mary Ann Daniels by Joseph & Phyllis Slonac, and Kevin Smay by Ross, Mary & Rory Carpenter. In Honor of: Dennis & Babe Richards, Frank & Debbie Dupnock and Edna Mae Cook by Joseph & Phyllis Slonac.

Religious Education And Christian Helping

 January 2, 2022



 Religious Education Class Schedule

 Happy New Year 2022

 No Classes on Sunday, January 2nd for grades 6—12.

 Classes will resume on Thursday, January 6th for our K—5 students and

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LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE REQUESTS ~ Lay Ministry schedule requests are currently being taken for the Spring Schedule which covers February through May 2022. If you have a request for dates you are not available or for dates that you are only available, please contact Suzi Blazosky at 495-5287 or email: sublazosky@gmail.com by Sunday, January 16th. And please contact Suzi with your Easter preferences. Lay ministers are being sought for all masses and

all ministries – Cantors, Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, Altar Servers, and Collection Counters.



CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS ~The Parish Office has closed the books for 2021 parishioner’s contributions. You may request a statement of your tax-deductible donations at any time by calling the rectory at 495-9640. If a contribution was made to the CMD, you should have received a statement from the diocese. We are updating our parish records, so please remember to notify the Rectory Office of any changes in address or telephone numbers. If you no longer have a land line and your cellphone is your primary house phone, please call us or drop a note in the collection basket.



 HAPPY NEW YEAR!

 Msgr. Lockard, Michele, Mary Ann, Rod and Laurie

 wish all of you

 a happy and healthy 2022!

 Sunday, January 2 Mass ~ 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

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

 No HS Religious Education

 Girls Scouts Meeting / Hall / 4-5:30 PM

 Monday, January 3 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Sunday Choir Practice / 7:00 PM

 Tuesday, January 4 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Boy Scout Meeting / 7:30 – 9:00 PM

 Wednesday, January 5 Mass ~ Noon / Changed from 9:00 AM / Today only



 Thursday, January 6 NO Mass

 K – 5 Religious Education / Hall / 3:30 – 4:30 PM

 Saturday Choir Practice / 4:30 PM

 Friday, January 7 NO Mass

 Saturday, January 8 Mass ~ 4:00 PM

 Confessions / 3:30 – 3:45 PM / Confessional

 Second Sunday Food Pantry Collection

 UPCOMING EVENTS

 January 9 Second Sunday Food Pantry Collection

 Holy Name Society Meeting

 Coffee & Donuts / After 8 AM Mass

 Monroe Jean Glessner Baptism / After 10:30 AM Mass

 Girl Scout Cookie Sale

 January 16 Pastoral Council Meeting (Changed from January 9)

 Hall Rental

ECHOES OF A POLISH CHRISTMAS ~ All Saints Parish in Boswell will host their annual singing of Polish Christmas Carols (known as Koledy) on Sunday, January 2nd at 2:00 PM at their church in Boswell (325 Quemahoning St.). Following the singing there will be Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Whether you are Polish or not, please come and experience these time-honored hymns celebrating the birth of Christ.

JEWELRY RAFFLE ~Saturday, January 15th, 2022 at New Germany Hall, 1635 New Germany Rd, Summerhill. Door ticket includes: Admission, Meal, Dessert & Drinks. Over $7,500 in Jewelry & Accessories to be chanced off from door tickets. Grand Prize: $1,000 Jewelry shopping spree at Gold Rush Diamonds & Boutique. Doors open 5 PM. 1st drawing at 6 PM. Need not be present to win. Only 500 tickets sold. $25 Donation. No Guests. For tickets contact Becky: 814-495-9594.