ST. MICHAEL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

 751 Locust Street

 PO Box 103

 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: 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

 Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

 SERVING GOD AND COMMUNITY FOR OVER ONE HUNDRED YEARS!

 October 9th, 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

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Month of The Holy Rosary

**MASS INTENTIONS**: (October 10 – October 16, 2022)

Monday, October 10 9:00 AM Vince Arena req. by Brenda Kundrod

Tuesday, October 11 9:00 AM Ann Marie Swelfer req. by husband Lou, daughters

 Mary Ann, Diane & Families

Wednesday, October 12 9:00 AM Ray & Irene Baldwin req. by Carl & Pam Freidhoff

Thursday, October 13 9:00 AM Christian Costlow req. by Mary Anne Davis

Friday, October 14 9:00 AM Janet L. Smith req. by Connie Hobbs

Saturday, October 15 4:00 PM People of the Parish

Sunday, October 16 8:00 AM Special Intentions

 10:30 AM Joseph & Robert Wilson req. by Mary Ann Murin & Family

LITURGICIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Saturday, October 15 4:00 PM Offertory Procession

Lector: Amy Spinos Bryan & Amy Spangler

Minister of the Host: Babe Richards

Choir Minister: Michael Barton

Altar Server: Bella Bambino

Cantor: Susan Blazosky

Greeter: Mary Ann Spangler

Sunday, October 16 8:00 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Pauline Minor Deborah & Cheryl Macy

Minister of the Host: Terri Leach

Choir Minister: Sally Kolar

Altar Server: Bryce Macy

Cantor: Joseph Faher

Greeter: Lori George

Sunday, October 16 10:30 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Ryan Jones Ron & Amy Dobbins

Minister of the Host: Susan Wieczorek

Choir Minister: Amanda Williamson

Altar Server: Zach Fisher

Cantor: Anita Lorek

Greeter: REACH Students

Monday, October 17 Collection Counters

 George & Pauline Minor

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, 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, Connor Thomas, Erin, Pat, Mary Agnes Nastase, Mary Ann Bertolino, Dick Wilson, Dorothy Kaminsky, Ashlee Madison, Susan Yanzetich, Alina Rusnak, Gary Smay, Elizabeth Howell, Walter Bodziak, Rhonda, Carter Bobak, Mike Morris, Patty Yanzetich Caldwell, Colton Snyder, Leonard Oshaben, Adam, Lily Maloney, Scott, Lisa, Audrey Costlow, Rosanne Krug, Becky Kakabar, Dolores Mucko, Elliana, Ashlee, Helen Soohy, Carol K. Fabrizio, Peggy Carpenter, Dave Seder, Pearl Borlie, Joe (Runk) Slonac, Lori Gramling, Ruth Ferchalk, Ernie Martinage, Mildred Andrykovitch, Katelyn Engle, Colin Wingard, Betty Duray, Jim Fisher, Joy McClain, Brenda Kundrod, Bill Gideos, Corrine Onder, Anne Robinson, Joseph Litzinger, Rosalie Ambrose, Rebecca Brunberg, Gardner Stoker, Dave Koeck, Barbara Reighard, Danielle Pearson, Kim Morgan 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.)*



During the week of October 9th, 2022

The Sanctuary Candle will burn in memory of

Michael Yauneridge

Requested by your loving wife, Connie

will

LAST WEEK’S COLLECTION

Regular Offertory $6,138.50

Maintenance $ 150.00

Diocesan Collections $ 155.00

Mission Co-Op $ 10.00

Religious Ed. Fund $ 10.00

Total $6,463.50

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*October 9th*

*“An old Irish proverb says, ‘It is in the shelter of each other that the people live.’ Indeed, we are created to depend upon one another and walk together in suffering. But when family members or friends approach life’s end, we may not know how best to ‘shelter’ them. Here are some concrete ways we can compassionately care for them: usccb.org/end-of-life-care.”*

*USCCB* Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities/Caring for Loved Ones at Life’s End

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. Amount collected was $1083.00

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

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

DAILY MASS ~ The Masses for Monday & Tuesday, October 17th & 18th, are cancelled due to Msgr. being on a Clergy Conference. Mass on Wednesday, October 19th will be changed from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Thank you.

 OCTOBER 2022 PARISH TICKET WINNERS

UNSOLD TICKETS/NOT RETURNED TICKETS ~ If the winning number is a ticket that was not sold or returned, the money will be split with the number above the winning number and the number below the winning number. If the number above or below the winning number was not returned, we will go above or below that number.

Day Date Amount Number Winner

Saturday October 1, 2022 $100 854 Amy Shaw

Sunday October 2, 2022 $100 286 Mary Ann Murin

Monday October 3, 2022 $ 75 045 Loretta Maticic

Tuesday October 4, 2022 $ 75 179 Ticket Not Sold

 $37.50 178 Daniel Brown

 $37.50 180 Chris Kerr

Wednesday October 5, 2022 $ 75 450 Lori George

FATIMA DEVOTIONS ~ The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R. from Loretto, invite you to participate with them in celebrating the Fatima Devotions on Thursday, October 13th at 6:30 PM at the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel.

MENTAL HEALTH WORKSHOPS ~ The Family Life Office & Catholic Charities are working with the National Alliance on Mental Illness to offer Mental Health Workshops for our Diocese, identify mental health risk factors, address our own mental wellness and to help us know how to respond to crises. The first workshop will be on Thursday, October 13th from 1 - 4 PM at the Diocesan Pastoral Center in Altoona. There is no cost to attend, but please register in advance by Monday, October 10th by calling the Center at 814-695-5579 x0.

FAITH UNDERSTOOD ~ Friday, October 28th at 7 PM in the Basilica of St. Michael the Archangel FAITH UNDERSTOOD – Special guest speaker Paul Zuccarelli ~ Allow his experience to restore your faith! Paul suffered nine cardiac arrests after surgery and was dead for 2 hours. He was graced to witness heaven during this time. Come and hear his amazing testimony of God’s love and saving grace. There is no charge ~ free will offering accepted.

\*please note that handicap restroom facilities are not available in the basilica at this time\*

GRIEVING PARENTS ~ Bishop Mark will celebrate a Mass for those who are grieving the loss of a child. This is for parents who may have lost their child to miscarriage, or when their child was young, as well as having lost adult children. The Mass is open to parents, grandparents, and grieving relatives and friends. The Mass will be held at St. Matthew Parish in Tyrone, PA, on Sunday, November 6th at 10:30 AM.

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THE EUCHARIST ~ *Believed, Celebrated & Lived* ~ October 23 – 25th Sunday – Tuesday -

7 PM Nightly. Guest Speaker *- Thomas Smith* atSt. Benedict Church, 2310 Bedford St. Johnstown, PA

All are welcome. Free to all. A Love Offering will be taken.

For more info the Rectory 814-266-9718 or

Deacon Michael Russo 814-288-3036



 CONCERTS

On Saturday, October 15th at 7 PM. Scott Blasey, the lead singer of the band *The Clarks* will be having a solo concert at Holy Name Church, Ebensburg, church hall. Tickets are $10 and attendees must be 21 and older to attend.

2022 Catholic Ministries Drive

CMD Goal: $26,153.00

Raised: $14,646.06

Balance: $11,506.94

Thank you to all parishioners who have responded to the *2022 Catholic Ministries Drive.* Please join them in supporting our Parish and a select group of ministries that provide outreach to the poor, family life, youth, and seminarians. If you did not receive a pledge card in the mail, you may give online at [www.dioceseaj.org](http://www.dioceseaj.org).





SNOW REMOVAL NEEDED ~ Autumn is here – Winter is coming! St. Michael Parish is looking to hire someone to plow our parking lots and/or remove snow from our sidewalks. If you are interested, please contact the church office at 814-495-9640 or saintmichaelsecretaries@yahoo.com with your bid(s) for the job. Please note that for plowing, you will need to provide your own equipment (truck, plow, salt spreader). For the sidewalks the church will provide what is needed. Questions? Call Msgr. L. at 814-495-9640.

LAST WEEK’S COLLECTION

Regular Offertory $4,247.85

Maintenance $ 95.00

Diocesan Collections $ 111.00

Holy Days $ 20.00

Religious Ed. Fund $ 20.00

Total $4,493.85

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 Religious Education And Christian Helping

October 9, 2022

 “Living Rosary” / Sundae Sunday

**Our REACH Youth Ministry is sponsoring our first youth event on Sunday, October 16th. We will celebrate a “Living Rosary” and “Sundae Sunday” starting at 6:00 p.m. All students in grades 6—11 will attend. Dress in your grade levels chosen “Class Spirit Theme”!

We will gather with the 6—11 students in the Parish Hall to line up and prepare for our rosary at 6 p.m. Parents and siblings of our grade 6—11 students are also encouraged and welcome to attend. Upon arrival, parents should go directly to the church and be seated.

Once the students are lined up in the hall and have their rosary parts, we will process to the church to participate in our “Living Rosary” at approximately 6:15 p.m.

Following our Rosary, students and their parents in attendance are invited to the Parish Hall to celebrate together and enjoy our “Sundae Sunday” Ice Cream Social.

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Fall Confirmation Sessions

*Grade 9 ~ Fall Session 9 A ~ The Creed –Your Faith: Believing and Belonging*

All 9th Grade students will be attending their Fall Confirmation Session 9A during Religious Education class time from 9:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. with their classmates on Sunday, October 9th to fulfill their confirmation session 9A requirement.

*Grade 11 ~ Fall Session 11 A ~ Review of the Rite of Confirmation*

All 11th Grade students will participate in their Fall Confirmation Session 11A during Religious Education class time from 9:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. on Sunday, October 30th to fulfill their confirmation session 11A requirement.

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Our Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown has posted the schedule for Confirmation Masses being celebrated by Bishop Mark L. Bartchak in the Easter season of 2023.

Our Saint Michael Parish Confirmation Mass is scheduled for *Thursday, April 13, 2023,* at 7:00 p.m. and will be held at

Saint John Gualbert Cathedral in Johnstown.

 SHYCON 2022

Our Saint Michael students in grades 9, 10 and 11 will be attending SHYCON on Sunday, October 23, 2022, at the Stokes Center, at Saint Francis University.

This theme for SHYCON 2022, is, “Do ALL things out of LOVE.”

Our keynote speaker for SHYCON 2022 is Steve Angrisano! Steve is a full-time music missionary who travels throughout many parts of the world providing inspirational music and faith witness to all ages through concerts, workshops, retreats, missions, conferences, and worship. He has been here at our Altoona-Johnstown several times and always provides a wonderful experience!! You can learn more about Steve on YOUTUBE!

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 11th Grade Confirmation Retreat

11th Grade Discipleship Retreat ~ Our 11th Grade Confirmation Class is scheduled to attend a “FIREstarters Retreat” on Saturday, November 5th at Saint Francis University. This will be held at the Campus Ministry Center (next to Cafe' Gubbio) in Saint Francis Hall. The retreat will begin at 9:00 a.m. and conclude at 5:00 p.m., which includes a 4:00 p.m. Mass. Lunch will be provided and the $25 cost per student will be paid from our REACH Youth Ministry funds. Parents should have students arrive at 8:45 a.m. and pick-up again at 5:00 p.m. Parents also are invited to return and attend the 4:00 p.m. Mass held at the Immaculate Conception Chapel. Registrations forms were distributed to the 11th grade students and are due back to the RE Office by Sunday, October 16th.

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Substitute Catechists Needed ~ We are looking for a few individuals that would be willing to be placed on a Substitute Religious Education Teacher list and fill in ‘As Needed’ for our Saint Michael Religious Education Program. Our K—5 classes are held on Thursday afternoons and our Grades 6—12 classes are held on Sunday mornings between our two Masses. Youth Protection clearances are also required to be a volunteer catechist; help receiving them will be provided. Your commitment will help us fill a vital role to help maintain a steady catechesis of our parish youth.

If you feel called to help in this way, please contact the Parish Office at

814-495-9640 or the Religious Education Office at 814-495-4873 to inquire.

 Sunday,October 9 Mass ~ 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

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

 HS Religious Education / Hall / 9:00 – 10:15 AM

 Grade 9 Fall Session / Hall / 9 – 10:20 AM

 Second Sunday Food Pantry Collection

 Holy Name Society Meeting / Hall / After 8:00 AM Mass

 Coffee & Donuts / Hall / After 8:00 AM Mass

 Monday, October 10 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Sunday Choir Practice / 7:00 PM

 Tuesday, October 11 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Boy Scout Meeting / Hall / 7:30 PM

 Citizens Concerned for Human Life Meeting / Hall / 7:00 PM

 Wednesday, October 12 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Thursday, October 13 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

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

 Saturday Choir Practice / 4:30 PM

 Friday, October 14 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Saturday, October 15 Mass ~ 4:00 PM

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

 UPCOMING EVENTS

 October 16 Religious Education Living Rosary

 October 17 – 19 Clergy Conference / Msgr. Lockard will be away

 October 22 & 23 World Mission Sunday Second Collection

 October 23 SHYCON / Saint Francis University

BASKET PARTY ~ St. Anne’s Church Hall, Woodland Ave., Moxham on October 9th from 1 – 4 PM. $5 includes dessert

and chances.



WALK THRU BASKET RAFFLE ~ Adams Township Area Lion’s Walk Thru Basket Raffle on Saturday, October 15th 10 AM – 5:00 PM and Sunday, October 16th 10 AM – 3:00 PM at St. Michael Firehall. Drawing around 3 PM live on Facebook. $5 for a sheet of 26. For more information contact Carol @ 814-487-5988 or Penny @ 814-487-4132.

THANKSGIVING NUT ROLL ~ Most Holy Trinity Church, South Fork. Order form can be found on the table at the back of the Church to order Nut, Nut/Raisin, Apricot, Poppy, or Poppy/Raisin rolls at $12 each by October 21st or call Rita at 814-495-5169 and leave message. Pick up is Friday, October 28th from 9 AM – Noon or after weekend Masses at Most Holy Trinity Church, South Fork.