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 ST. MICHAEL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

 PO Box 103

 St. Michael, Pennsylvania 15951

 Rev. Brian L. Warchola, Administrator MASSES:

(814) 495-9640 Saturday 4:00 pm



 Sunday Morning 8:00 am

Secretary: Michele Panick 10:30 am

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DRE: Laurie Sloan Holy Days See Bulletin

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 Office Hours:

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Parish Website Sunday 7:30 am to 7:45 am

www.saintmichaelchurch.weebly.com 10:00 am to 10:15 am

Secretaries’ E-mail Anytime Requested

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 YEAR: 2018 NUMBER: 41

 SERVING GOD AND COMMUNITY FOR OVER ONE HUNDRED YEARS!

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

 Preparation classes are necessary.

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 registered

 and before with their families) are asked to register by calling the Parish Office.

MEMBERSHIP: 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 rectory 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 Tuesdays.

 Twenty-eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

 October 14, 2018

 **Month of The Holy Rosary**

**MASS INTENTIONS**: (October 15 – October 21, 2018)

Monday 8:00 AM Janet L. Smith req. by Mary Beyer

Tuesday 8:00 AM Fr. Dan Kubala req. by Fr. Brian Warchola

Wednesday No Mass

Thursday 8:00 AM Albert Andrykovitch req. by Karen & Joseph Parisi

Friday 8:00 AM Michael Hudak Sr. req. by Helen Soohy

Saturday 4:00 PM People of the Parish

Sunday 8:00 AM Helen Cordek req. by Terri Leach & Family

Sunday 10:30 AM Terry McClemens req. by Lynn Smith

LITURGICIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Saturday, October 20 4:00 PM Offertory Procession

Lector: Anthony Bambino Anthony Bambino Family

Minister of the Host: Babe Richards

Ministers of the Cup: Theresa Carlson & Karen Myers

Altar Servers: Carson & Dylan Kundrod

Cantor: Susan Blazosky

Greeter: Darlene Marshall

Sunday, October 21 8:00 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Amy Spinos Helen Cordek Family

Minister of the Host: Walter Christ

Ministers of the Cup: Ellen Grattan & Sally Kolar

Altar Servers: Quinn & Eva Spangler

Cantor: Joseph Faher

Greeter: Pete Parisi

Sunday, October 2110:30 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Michael Caddy Terry McClemens Family

Minister of the Host: Amanda Williamson

Ministers of the Cup: Michael Barton & Sharon Paterson

Altar Servers: Alexis & Jackson Henderson

Cantor: Louis McCloskey

Greeter: Deborah Macy

Sunday, October 21 Collection Counters

 George & Janet Minor,

 Debbie Dupnock

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, Lori Facciani, Dylon Wills, Dawn Hagen, Debbie Dibert, Missy, Joanne (Kolar) Hufford, Christine Flanagan, Ayden Alan Grata, Mary Lou Offman, Mary Zangaglia, Dorothy Rosemas, Natalie Zerby, Patricia Grata, Michael Wadsworth, Valencia & Frank Tursi, Homer Locher, Brayden Schofield, Michelle Kasper, Diane Kingera, Allison Krischer, Ted Paluch, Brandt Hutzel, Pearl Litzinger, Patrick Munro, Fran Baldassarre, Corey Lybarger, Kristen Sinosky Long, Helen Ranieri, Cresta Micik, Basil Costantino, Madison McCrory, Laura, Joe Yoder, Dolores Yanzetich, Sandy Krug, Wanda Gramling, Merna Smay, Muriel “Jean” Wiesheier, Agnes Plummer, Jennifer Hagans, Shawn, Holly, Shane, Spencer, Owen Taylor, Keith & Dawnetta Hoyer, Derrick Varnish, Daniel Koshute, Vincent Koshute, Karen Lovrich, Melissa Cordek, Michelle Elliott, Heather Romanow, Mackston Barrick, Connor Thomas, Erin, Pat, Mary Agnes Nastase, Mary Ann Bertolino, Dick Wilson, Izzy Bihun, Erica Mitzelfeld, Dorothy Kaminsky, Ed Ripper Sr., Patricia Oshaben, Craig Kraber, Ashlee Madison, Susan Yanzetich, Mike, Mary Sivec, Danika Faith, Alina Rusnak, Fern Swartzentruver, Marcia Costlow, Gary Smay, Elizabeth Howell, Charles Smith, Mary Ann Cover, Helen Bowen, Bill Gideos, James Macy, Walter Bodziak, Rhonda, Dan Strinkoski, Anne Robinson, Marlene McCrory, Sharon Poldiak, Carter Bobak, Vince Arena, Mike Morris, Georgetta (Minor) Moreau, Sarah Kelt 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

Adults $3,312.00

Loose $ 384.00

Youth $ 31.25

Monthly $1,207.00

Candles $ 83.00

Maintenance Fund $ 43.00

Retired Priests Medical $ 60.00

World Mission Sunday $ 15.00

Total $5,135.25

We sincerely thank and ask God’s blessing upon all who have care and concern for our parish.

*October 14, 2018 Mk 10:17-30*

*Having possessions is an illusion. In today’s gospel Jesus told the young man to give up his need to control and put his trust in God. He couldn’t let go! In families our need to control destroys relationships. We can lead, teach and encourage, but we can’t control anyone but ourselves.*

OCTOBER 2018 PARISH TICKET WINNERS

Day Date Amount Number Winner



Friday October 5, 2018 $ 75 456 William H. Vasbinder

Saturday October 6, 2018 $100 758 Kim Snyder

Sunday October 7, 2018 $100 206 Janet Hannakan

Monday October 8, 2018 $150 546 Mary Beth Heinze

Tuesday October 9, 2018 $ 75 344 Mary Ann Peretin DeRosa

Wednesday October 10, 2018 $ 75 174 Rob Facciani

Thursday October 11, 2018 $ 75 746 Bob Sloan

LEGION OF MARY ~ Is holding its *Annual Rosary Devotion with Mary, on Sunday, October 14th at 3:00 PM* at St. Nicholas Roman Catholic Church, Nicktown. All are invited to attend. Students from local grade schools and high schools are encouraged to participate in the “Living Rosary.” If any student is interested in participating, please contact Monica Ludwig (814-948-8776) or Mary Ellen Zunich (814-948-7928). Practice dates will be on Tuesday, September 25th & Tuesday, October 2nd from 6 – 6:45 PM.

ADULT ENRICHMENT OLD TESTAMENT CLASS ~ Education is a lifelong journey. Classes are offered through the *Office of Adult Enrichment and Lay Ecclesial Ministry* to help nurture YOUR faith. The 8-week course Old Testament will be offered in two locations this fall. Beginning Tuesdays, October 30th, Fr. Brian Saylor will be teaching at St. Rose of Lima, Altoona and on Wednesdays, October 31st, Fr. Peter Crowe will be teaching at St. Patrick School, Johnstown. Class time for both locations is 6:30-8:30 PM. Class information and registration forms are available online at [www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclessial-ministry/](http://www.dioceseaj.org/lay-ecclessial-ministry/) or by contacting Marybeth at (814) 361-2000/mheinze@dioceseaj.org. All are welcome to attend!

CASH & COMEDY NIGHT ~ Basilica of St. Michael. Saturday, November 3, Our Lady of Loretto Community Hall. Dinner served from 5:30-7:30 PM. Entertainment by Slapstick Productions starts at 8 PM. Basket Raffle/Punch Board - $20 ticket admits one. Must be 21 to attend. For tickets contact Mary Ann 472-5895 or Theresa 886-8677.

BISHOP CARROLL WINE FESTIVAL ~ Saturday, November 3, 4 – 8:00 PM at BCCHS Cafeteria. Tickets - $20, includes Wine Tasting, Food Samples and Souvenir Glass. $5 admission for designated drivers. Six Wineries, food, music and fun! Must be 21 and provide ID. No outside food or drinks permitted. 2018 Chevy Colorado Drawing at 8 PM. Call 472-7500 ext. 103 for tickets or info.

RESURRECTION PARISH ~ Ladies Auxiliary will be sponsoring a basket party on Sunday, November 11 at Christ the Savior Reception Hall, 307 Garfield St. Johnstown, PA. Doors open at 12:30 PM. Cost: $10 which will include lunch, 25 chances and eligibility for door prizes. For tickets call the resurrection parish office at 539-5788, EXT. #3 and ask for Joann.



Catholic Ministries Drive $24,043.00

Raised: $11,605.00

Balance: $12,438.00

Number of responses: 87

Thank you to all parishioners who have responded to the *2018 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).

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The Sanctuary Candle will burn in memory of

Michele Houghton

requested by Jane & Ken Byer

and

The Our Lady of Grace Candle will burn as a

birthday remembrance for my husband

Aloysius Neff

requested by Wife, Sons & Families

during the week of October 14, 2018.





BAPTISM ~ On Sunday, October 7th, we celebrated the glorious baptism of Thor Lee Kniss, son of Colt Kniss and Victoria McKay by Father Brian Warchola. He became a new creation in Christ in the waters of Holy Baptism. Now joined to us by the gifts of faith, hope and charity, we warmly welcome him into our St. Michael Parish Family.

MARRIED IN CHRIST ~ We extend warmest congratulations to Kelleen Skoner and Matthew Harris who were joined in Holy Matrimony on October 6th by Father Brian Warchola. Made one in Christ as husband and wife, we pray they grow in faith, love and trust in the years ahead. Kelleen is the daughter of Peter and Dianne Skoner and Matthew is the son of Thomas and Ellen Harris.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ~ Will be today Sunday, October 14th, after the 10:30 AM Mass.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY ~ Will be having their monthly meeting today, October 14th after the 8:00 AM Mass.

COFFEE & DONUTS ~ The Holy Name Society will be having coffee & donuts today after the 8:00 & 10:30 AM Masses. Everyone Welcome!

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

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY ~ NEXT WEEKEND, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world’s most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope’s missions in your prayers and be generous in next week’s second collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

PRAYER CARDS ~ There are some prayer cards left in the bridal room. Price for the cards are 10 for $1.00.

*Stewardship Reflections…*

In today’s Gospel, Jesus asks the rich young man to give away all that he has in order to have treasure in heaven. But he is unable to free himself from his possessions, and so he goes sadly away. Does what I own keep me from following Jesus?



Religious Education And Christian Helping

 October 14, 2018

SHYCON 2018 ~ We have 14 students and 4 adult chaperones attending SHYCON on Sunday, October 28, 2018 at the Stokes Center, at Saint Francis University. Our group will be meeting at 10:00 a.m. at the church hall and will travel by bus to arrive at Saint Francis University for check-in and registration of our group. The $20 registration fee will come from REACH Youth Ministry funds for students attending. All attending will receive a T-shirt and lunch will be provided along with keynotes from Paul J. Kim, games, activities, packing meals for the hungry and a Liturgy with Bishop Mark which will fulfill the Sunday obligation. We will arrive back at the church by 5:30 p.m.

All participants should bring money for the offertory during the liturgy. A collection will be taken up for the Fulton County Mission in McConnellsburg.

*This year during SHYCON, we will once again participate and have the chance to pack meals for the hungry. All groups will be packing individual meals with the supplies provided on site that will be boxed and delivered to those in need by the organization Rise Against Hunger.*

Saint Michael Parish . . . .You can be a part of SHYCON 2018 !!!

Helping Hands RISE AGAINST HUNGER!!!



CALLED TO Be Disciples! How will you answer??

Please—Help us help others!!

*We are looking for individuals, groups or businesses that would like to participate in SHYCON with us by helping us to purchase the kits needed for our youth to pack these meals for the hungry. This way more than just the participants can participate in the Corporal Work of Mercy! We are hoping this year that more groups will consider collecting at the parish level and donating those funds for the project.*

Lend A Helping Hand!! Every Donation Helps!!

*Your monetary donation will help purchase kits for those that might otherwise go hungry!*

Hollidaysburg, PA 16648

For more information, or to make a donation, contact Francine Swope in the Diocesan Youth Ministry Office at (814)317-2646 or by email at fswope@dioceseaj.org

REACH Basket Social ~ Our REACH Youth Ministry will sponsor their annual REACH Basket Social on Sunday, December 4th this year!

This basket social fundraiser helps pay for numerous activities like food provided at various service projects, Cookie Bake and Homebound Fruit Baskets, K—5 Easter treats, Mother's Day and Father's Day Gifts. REACH funds also cover the cost of our confirmation retreat expenses along with SHYCON and Junior High Youth Day to help assure students can attend.

*We are asking our Religious Education families to help with the Project:*

*Each Religious Education class, Grades K—12 are asked to sponsor a basket to be chanced off at this social as a classroom service project. Over these next few weeks, students in each grade will pick a theme for their basket. Each class will also decide if they are collecting money or purchased items. We ask that each student then bring their donation in by the beginning of November so that each class has ample time for their class to assemble their class basket by Thursday, November 15th and Sunday, November 18th in time for the social.*

*(There is no RE Class scheduled for Thursday, November 22nd or Sunday, November 25th)!*

 *When sending your donations, please be sure to mark the envelope or bag “Basket Social” and also include your “Child's Name” and “Grade” to ensure that the correct grade receives them.* Donation envelopes can be dropped in the weekend collection basket at Masses or bagged items can be placed in the Bridal Room or brought to the Religious Education Office or Rectory Office.

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*Fall Confirmation Session 9 A ~*

*The Creed -Your Faith: Believing and Belonging ~ Sunday, October 21, 2018*

 All 9th Grade students will be attending their Fall Session 9A from 9 to 10:30 a.m. in the upstairs Hall to fulfill this session requirement.

*\* If the students miss this scheduled session, they are required to attend another*

*parishes scheduled session to fulfill these requirements.*

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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 2019. Our Saint Michael Parish Confirmation Mass is scheduled for *Thursday, April 25, 2019* at 7:00p.m. and will be held at

Saint John Gualbert Cathedral in Johnstown.

11th Grade Confirmation candidates: With the April 25, 2019 Confirmation date set, keep in mind that as a candidate, you are required to secure at least 25 community service hours for the 11th Grade year by March 1, 2019 to be eligible to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Community service hours can be acquired within our church through our REACH Youth Ministry Projects or from outside our church community by submitting an individual Service form for each service signed by an adult overseeing that service.

 Sunday, October 14 High School Religious Education / 9 – 10:20 AM

 Second Sunday Food Colleciton

 Holy Name Society Meeting / After 8:00 AM Mass

 Coffee & Donuts / after 8:00 & 10:30 AM Masses

 Parish Council Meeting / After 10:30 AM Mass

 Monday, October 15 Sunday Choir Practice / 7:00 PM

 Tuesday, October 16

 Wednesday, October 17 No Mass

 Thursday, October 18 K - 5 Religious Education / 3:30 – 4:30 PM

 Saturday Choir Practice / 5:30 PM

 Knights of Columbus Meeting / 6:00 PM

 Girls Scout Service Unit Meeting

 Friday, October 19

 Saturday, October 20 World Mission Sunday / Second Collection

 Baptism / 5:00 PM

 UPCOMING EVENTS

 October 21 World Mission Sunday / Second Collection

 Girl Scouts Meeting

 October 27 Baptism

 Funeral Mass

 October 28 Shycon / St. Francis University

 Girl Scouts

SPAGHETTI DINNER ~ St. Anthony of Padua, Windber. Sunday, October 21, 11 AM – 2 PM, Church Hall. Adults - $8, Children - $4. Everyone is welcome! Take-outs are available.

NIGHT AT THE RACES ~ St. Demetrius Church in Gallitzin is sponsoring a “Night at the Races” on October 20th held at the church’s Social Hall. Doors open at 5:00 PM and race will start at 6:00 PM. The $25 will get you a horse (while they last) for one race and admission for you and a guest. $10 for a single admission only. Eat-in meal and refreshments will be available. PA SGOC #18-12. To reserve your horse, please call Brenda Smithmyer at 207-5894.

BIRTHRIGHT BASKET PARTY ~ Sunday, Oct. 28 at the Richland Fire Hall from 11 AM – 2 PM. Drawing @ 1:00 PM. $10 includes 25 chances and luncheon. Big prize table and loads of gift baskets. Call Mary Kay @ 535-8231 for tickets.

ROAST PORK & SAUERKRAUT SUPPER ~ St. John the Baptist, Summerhill, will be hosting a Pork & Sauerkraut Supper, Buffet Style, on Sunday, November 4 from 4:00 to 6:00 PM at St. John’s Church Hall, 540 Main St., Summerhill. Everyone is welcome for homemade pies and sauerkraut. Adults $10 & Children 10 & under are $5.

COMMUNITY LAB BLOOD SCREEN ~ St. John the Baptist, Summerhill, is sponsoring a Community Lab Blood Screen, in conjunction with Chan Soon-Shiong Medical Center at Windber, on Sat., Oct. 27 from

7-9 AM. Cost is $30. Please call 814-467-3739 to schedule an appointment.