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ST. MICHAEL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

751 Locust Street

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

Bookkeeper: Kathy Kalicky Daily Mass See Bulletin

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 Confessions:

Rel. Education: (814) 495-4873 Saturday 3:30 pm to 3:45 pm

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

[saintmichaelsecretaries@yahoo.com](mailto:saintmichaelsecretaries@yahoo.com)

YEAR: 2019 NUMBER: 22

SERVING GOD AND COMMUNITY FOR OVER ONE HUNDRED YEARS!

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 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.



Seventh Sunday of Easter

June 2, 2019

**Month of The Sacred Heart of Jesus**

**MASS INTENTIONS**: (June 3 – June 9, 2019)

Monday 8:00 AM Jane Bukosky req. by Debbie Conway

Tuesday 8:00 AM Janet Smith req. by Dorothy Scoran

Wednesday No Mass

Thursday 8:00 AM For Catholics to return to the Church

Friday 8:00 AM Helen Bulas req. by Grandson, Ken Burkardt

Saturday 4:00 PM Edward Ripper Sr. req. by Cuff, Susan, Jen & John Poldiak

Sunday 8:00 AM People of the Parish

Sunday 10:30 AM Joseph Blanchetti, Michael & Chez Smiach req. by

Robert & Regina Blanchetti & Family

LITURGICIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Saturday, June 8 4:00 PM Offertory Procession

Lector: Donald Dipko Cuff & Susan Poldiak

Minister of the Host: Karen Myers Family

Minister of the Cup: Theresa Carlson & Babe Richards

Altar Servers: Alex Bambino & Elisabeth Zajdel

Cantor: Susan Blazosky

Greeter: Darlene Marshall

Sunday, June 9 8:00 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Cathy Faher Nick & Sally Kolar Minister of the Host: Terri Leach

Minister of the Cup: Walter Christ & Tracy Yakicic

Altar Servers: Andrew Martin & Bryce Macy

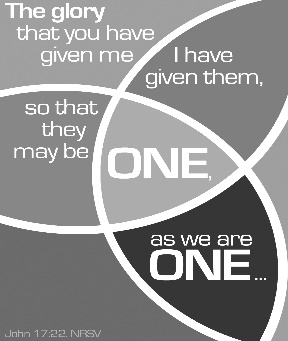
Cantor: Susan Yanzetich

Greeter: Deborah Macy

Sunday, June 910:30 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Carole Kakabar Robert & Regina Blanchetti

Minister of the Cup: Michael Barton Family

Minister of the Host: George & Janet Minor

Altar Servers: Alexis & Jackson Henderson

Cantor: Amy Dobbins

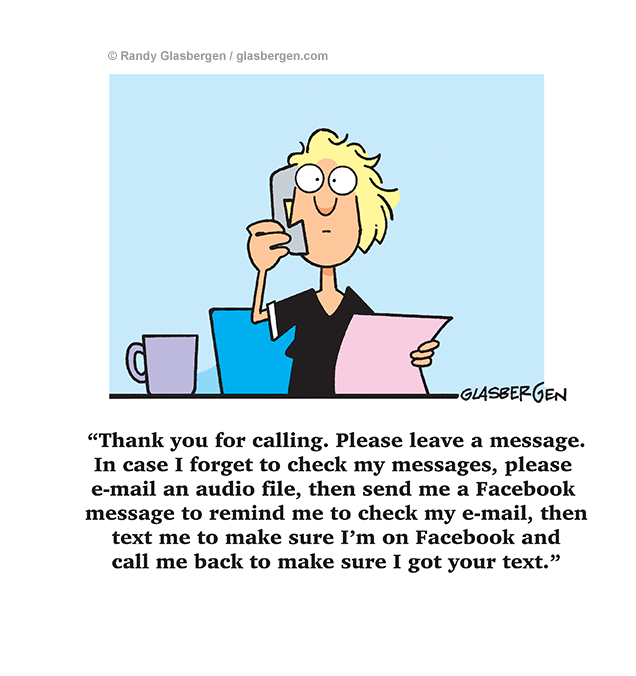
Greeter: Wendy Blough

Sunday, June 2 Collection Counters

Christine Smay, Debbie Dupnock

Sara Zybura

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, 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, Kristen Sinosky Long, Helen Ranieri, Cresta Micik, Basil Costantino, Madison McCrory, Laura, Joe Yoder, Dolores Yanzetich, Sandy Krug, Wanda Gramling, Merna Smay, Agnes Plummer, Jennifer Hagans, Shawn, Holly, Shane, Spencer, Owen Taylor, Keith & Dawnetta Hoyer, Derrick Varnish, Vincent Koshute, 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, Patricia Oshaben, Ashlee Madison, Susan Yanzetich, Mike, Danika Faith, Alina Rusnak, Marcia Costlow, Gary Smay, Elizabeth Howell, Helen Bowen, Walter Bodziak, Rhonda, Dan Strinkoski, Anne Robinson, Marlene McCrory, Sharon Poldiak, Carter Bobak, Vince Arena, Mike Morris, Sarah Kelt, Mildred Andrykovitch, Patty Yanzetich Caldwell, Mary Secriskey, Colton Snyder, Betty Delaney, Nancy Edmiston, Elizabeth Stoker Thomas, Albert Sracic, Arthur Byers, Joseph Ropecka, Bill Krajewski, Leonard Oshaben, Florence Smith, Michael Chalan Jr., Adam, Bill Gideos, Theressa Stravinsky, Janice Dipyatic 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 $3,070.00

Loose $ 300.00

Youth $ 29.50

Monthly $ 250.00

Candles $ 62.75

Maintenance $ 465.00

Ascension Thursday $ 51.00

Cemetery Maintenance $ 596.00

Catholic Communication $ 10.00 Total $4,834.25

We sincerely thank and ask

God’s blessing upon all

who have care and

concern for

our parish.

June 2, 2019 Luke 24:46-53

Jesus tells us today, “you are my witnesses” and guarantees the “promise of the Father” to “clothe us with the power to accomplish this mission.” It is not worldly power which dominates and manipulates. It is the power of the Kingdom of God to live in peace, forgiveness, compassion, service to others, love of enemies and care for the poor and defenseless.

MAY 2019 PARISH TICKET WINNERS

Day Date Amount No. Winner



Friday May 24, 2019 $75 596 Ticket not Returned

Saturday May 25, 2019 $100 697 Carole Horner

Sunday May 26, 2019 $100 242 Sue Nagy

Monday May 27, 2019 $150 952 Joanne Thomas

Tuesday May 28, 2019 $75 714 Judy Grattan

Wednesday May 29, 2019 $75 540 Roger Podrebarac

Thursday May 30, 2019 $75 241 Bretton Nedwreski

JO JO’S PIZZA FUNDRAISER ~ Jo Jo’s Pizza, St. Michael, will donate 20% of your total sales from the flyers collected during our fundraiser dates – SUNDAY, JUNE 2ND UNTIL SUNDAY, JUNE 9TH (Note that the fundraiser will last for 1 full week). Flyers are located at the entrances of the church. You can use as many flyers as you like throughout the week. Give to your family & friends!



CATHOLIC RALLY ~ On Sunday, June 23rd, we will be having a CATHOLIC RALLY, which includes an Outdoor Mass at 10:30 AM and a picnic to follow. Also, the Christian Band, “Finding the Lost”, will be performing as well as Anita Lorek’s *Le Dance Academie’*. Please feel free to invite your friends, family, and fallen away to rally at St. Michael. The main dish and the drinks will be provided. We ask that you bring folding lawn chairs for the Mass and Please bring a covered dish. Sign-up sheets can be found in the back of the Church. Please pray for good weather and spend an afternoon with the Archangel!

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN ~ Today, we are taking up a second collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps the CCC connect people, in the United States and around the world, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half the funds collected remain here in the Altoona-Johnstown Diocese to support local efforts. Be a part of this campaign to spread the Gospel message. Support the collection today! To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/ccc](http://www.usccb.org/ccc).

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULES ~ The Summer Lay Ministry Schedules are available this weekend. They can be found on the wall inside the front doors.



Thank you to all parishioners who have responded to the *2019 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).

Catholic Ministries Drive $26,768.00

Raised: $ 5,368.00

Balance: $21,400.00

Number of responses: 53

The Sanctuary Candle will burn for

the Sick and Shut-Ins of St. Michael Parish

during the week of June 2, 2019.

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FR. BRIAN’S MESSAGE ~ Please know of my continued thanks for all who are so faithful to St. Michael Parish. I am more than happy to help in any way I can with any of your spiritual needs. If there is anyone who may be in the need of getting married or have their civil marriage convalidated or in need of a declaration of nullity, I would be more than happy to assist you. Call the parish office, and we can set up an appointment to meet.

*Fr. Brian*



BAPTISM ~ On Sunday, May 26th, we celebrated the glorious baptism of Blake Christopher Linden, son of Timothy Linden and Jessica (Lochner) Linden by Fr. 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.

[](http://www.churchart.com/subscriber/viewimages.aspx?keywords=In%20Sympathy&entry_date=1/1/0001&image_type=,cl#no)

MAY SHE REST IN PEACE ~ In your charity, please pray for the eternal rest of Mary Sivec whose Funeral Mass was celebrated on Saturday, May 25th, by Fr. Brian Warchola. 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.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY ~ Will hold their monthly meeting on Sunday, June 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.

PARISH COUNCIL ~ There will be a Parish Council Meeting next Sunday, June 9th, after the 10:30 AM Mass.

FATHER’S DAY BRUNCH ~ All fathers and sons of the parish are invited to a Father’s Day Brunch in the church hall immediately following the 10:30 AM Mass on Sunday, June 16th. The ladies and REACH girls of the parish will be preparing and serving the meal. We hope to see all the fathers and sons of the parish there! HELP IS NEEDED! Please call Pauline Minor (495-5165) to volunteer. This is a good way to earn service hours! Let’s show our appreciation to the Fathers and Sons of this parish family!

FATHER’S DAY INTENTIONS ~ Envelopes for Father’s Day Mass Intentions are in your packet of envelopes. The envelopes will be placed on the altar during the month of June in remembrance of all fathers, both living and deceased. Extra envelopes can be found at the entrances of the church.

FIRST FRIDAY ~ Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with adoration will be this Friday, June 7th from 8:30 AM till 3:00 PM. A sign- up sheet can be found at the entrances of the church.



Religious Education And Christian Helping

June 2, 2019



This Sunday, June 2nd, we will honor our high school seniors at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. All of our seniors will receive a gift from the church. Those who have completed their 12 years of Religious Education will also be eligible to receive a $300 Higher Education Grant Form from the parish. In addition, 2 students will also receive a $250 REACH Service Award, which is based on their cumulative REACH sponsored service hours acquired during their years of participation in our REACH Program.

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Our joint Vacation Bible School for St. Michael,

Most Holy Trinity and St. Bartholomew parishes is:

*Yee Haw: Celebrating God's greatest gift*

Here at St. Michael Parish

July 16, 17 & 18 from 6—8:00 PM

VBS is an opportunity to reach children with God's love. We invite you to join our team of volunteers to share your love of God in a fun, exciting three days of adventure. VBS is open to all children ages 4—14. Everyone is asked to help by volunteering, donating, and praying for the success of our program and the enjoyment of all involved.

VBS Registration forms are available on the back table and at the side entrance of the church along with our Volunteers Registration forms.

REACH students and adult volunteers are needed to help with prep ahead of VBS week and we will also need help the week of VBS. High School students can earn service hour credits for helping.

We are planning a VBS Prep day on Wednesday, June 19th from 10AM to 12 noon. We will meet in our Saint Michael Parish Hall and be making decorations for our sets and also be preparing some of our crafts. Please join us to make this a wonderful adventure for our kids.

If you would like to share in the fun, call the Parish Office at 495-9640 or the RE Office at 495-4873.

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Upcoming REACH Service Projects

Father’s Day Brunch ~ The Father’s Day Brunch is scheduled for June 16th. REACH girls are needed to help with preparation, serving and clean-up. / Time frame option: 9 AM to 1 PM.

VBS Prep Day ~ We are planning a VBS Prep day on Wednesday, June 19th from 10AM to 12 noon. We will meet in our Saint Michael Parish Hall and be making decorations for our sets and also be preparing some of our crafts.



*REACH Summer Trip to Kennywood*

Our REACH Youth Ministry is planning a trip to Kennywood Park on Tuesday, June 18, 2019. All REACH students, Grades 6—12, are invited to participate. We also extend this invitation to this years’ 5th Grade Class, who officially become members of REACH on June 1, 2019. Due to liability issues, no younger students may attend.

Adult chaperones are needed to make this trip possible, and all chaperones are required to have their clearances to attend. We will need at least 1 adult chaperone per 7 students. The cost of this trip is $20.00 per person. Checks need to be made payable to “St. Michael REACH”. The remainder of admission and transportation by bus will be covered by our REACH funds.

An information letter and Registration/Permission forms have been mailed to all REACH families with students in grades 6—12.

*Reservations will require a returned Reservation/Permission form and also include the appropriate payment due to Confirm your seat on the bus.* Reservations are due no later than June 6, 2019, and can be returned via the weekend collection in an envelope marked “Kennywood Park” or by returning them to the RE / Parish Office during office hours, or by placing them in the “Green Container” outside the Parish Office entrance if the office is closed.

Any questions can be directed to Laurie Sloan at the Religious Education Office at 495-4873 or e-mail [lsloan@dioceseaj.org](mailto:lsloan@dioceseaj.org).

*Travel Information for REACH Summer Trip to Kennywood Park*

*Tuesday, June 18, 2019.*

All attending should report to the church parking lot at 8:15 a.m. with buses departing promptly at 8:30 a.m. Snacks can be brought for the bus ride. Tickets will be distributed at Kennywood.

We will arrive at Kennywood at approximately 10:30 a.m. and depart the park at 9:00 p.m.

Extra spending money will be needed for additional food, drinks and expenses of choice while in the park.

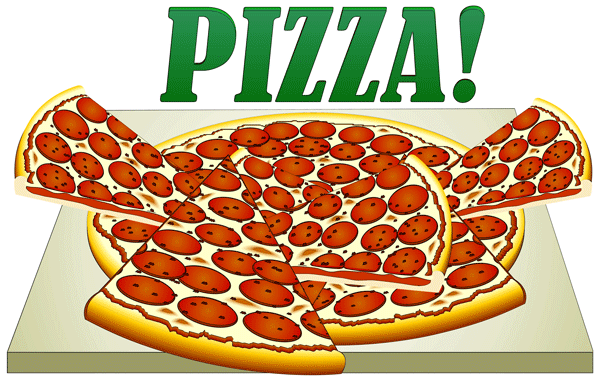
Parents are asked to pick up their students at approximately 11:00 p.m. in the church lot.

Questions can be directed to Laurie Sloan at the RE office at 495-4873 or [lsloan@dioceseaj.org](mailto:lsloan@dioceseaj.org)

Sunday, June 2 Catholic Communication Campaign / Second Collection

Senior Sunday / 10:30 AM Mass

Baptism / 11:30 AM

 Girl Scouts / 1:00 PM

Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser Begins!

Monday, June 3 Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser

Tuesday, June 4 Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser

Wednesday, June 5 Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser

Thursday, June 6 Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser

Friday, June 7 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Adoration / 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser

Saturday, June 8 Boy Scout Car Wash / Bake Sale / 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Second Sunday Food Pantry Collection

Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser

UPCOMING EVENTS



June 9 Holy Name Society Meeting

Parish Council Meeting

Last Day for Jo Jo’s Pizza Fundraiser

June 8 & 9 Second Sunday Food Pantry Collection

June 16 Father’s Day Brunch

June 18 Kennywood Trip

June 23 Catholic Rally / Outdoor Mass / Picnic



STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL ~ The Salix Community Club will be holding a Strawberry Festival on Sunday, June 2nd from 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM at the Log Cabin. Everyone Welcome!

FOREST HILLS COMMUNITY BAND ~ Concert Schedule – Sun. June 2, Mount Hope Church 6 PM, Sunday June 9, South Fork U.M. Church 7 PM. Bring Chairs.

ST. PATRICK CHURCH (JOHNSTOWN) FESTIVAL ~ June 14th, 15th, and 16th. Enjoy great food (Italian sausage or pulled pork sandwiches, chicken tenders, homemade haluski, hamburgers, hot dogs, French fries, funnel cakes, ice cream, homemade gobs and more) along with basement sale, bake sale, bingo, games, theme baskets and other booths, petting zoo for children, raffle tickets for cash prizes ($500-$300-$200-$100) and live entertainment. Festival hours-Friday: 6 PM-10 PM (Tree); Saturday: 5 PM-10 PM (Rosie and the Jammers); Sunday: Noon-5 PM (Kitchen and Basement Sale); Sunday: 1 PM-5 PM, Bingo, Booths, Petting Zoo and Music (DJ).