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: 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-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

 SERVING GOD AND COMMUNITY FOR OVER ONE HUNDRED YEARS!

 August 28th, 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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August 28th, 2022

Month of The Immaculate Heart of Mary

**MASS INTENTIONS**: (August 29 – September 4, 2022)

Monday, August 29 9:00 AM John Progar req. by Joe & Patty Chulick

Tuesday, August 30 6:00 PM 64th Wedding Ann. of Nick & Pauline Minor req. by

 Family

Wednesday, August 31 9:00 AM Walter M. Lorek req. by wife, Anita & Family

Thursday, September 1 9:00 AM Agnes Noon req. by Joe & Alice Delso

Friday, September 2 9:00 AM Albert & Catherine Demko req. by Carl & Pam Freidhoff

Saturday, September 3 4:00 PM Agnes Plummer req. by Susan & Paul Snyder

Sunday, September 4 8:00 AM People of the Parish

 10:30 AM Janet Smith req. by sister, Reba & Family

LITURGICIAL APPOINTMENTS:

Saturday, September 3 4:00 PM Offertory Procession

Lector: Sandy Bambino Agnes Plummer Family

Minister of the Host: Helen Slonac

Choir Minister: Michael Barton

Altar Server: Bella Bambino

Cantor: Susan Blazosky

Greeter: Karen Myers

Sunday, September 4 8:00 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: Terri Leach Bob & Ellen Grattan

Minister of the Host: Pauline Minor

Choir Minister: Eric Tedjeske

Altar Server: Michael Kresic

Cantor: Susan Yanzetich

Greeter: Pauline Minor

Sunday, September 4 10:30 AM Offertory Procession

Lector: James Lashinsky Nancy & Richard Wessel

Minister of the Host: William Myers

Choir Minister: Susan Wieczorek

Altar Server: Cameron Vitez

Cantor: Elizabeth Dobbins

Greeter: Wendy Blough

Tuesday, September 6 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 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 August 28th, 2022

the Sanctuary Candle will burn in memory of

Raymond & Jane Plummer

requested by Family

will



LAST WEEK’S COLLECTION

Regular Offertory $3,720.00

Maintenance $ 50.00

Feast of Assumption $ 233.00

Total $4,003.00

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*August 28th, 2022 LK 14:1,7-14*

*Family life well lived confirms the words of Jesus in today’s gospel, “Those who humble themselves*

*will be exlted.” Commitment, intimacy, loyalty and love are the rewards of humble service and care for one another.*

MARRIED IN CHRIST ~ We extend warmest congratulations to Kayla Walls and Zachary Ferchalk who were joined in Holy Matrimony on August 20th by Fr. Brian Warchola. Made one in Christ as husband and wife, we pray they grow in faith, love, and trust in the years ahead. Kayla is the daughter of David and Joanne Walls, and Zachary is the son of Kent and Tammy Ferchalk.



BAPTISM ~ On Sunday August 21st, 2022, we celebrated the baptism of Emma Grace Baker, daughter of Joshua and Lindsay (Roush) Baker. Emma Grace 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 her into our St. Michael Parish Family.

NEW GAS FURNACES INSTALLED ~ This past week two new gas furnaces were installed in the rectory and in the social hall by Kaith’s Heating and Air. This work was made possible by the donations to the parish that were made through the iGive Catholic campaign last November. On behalf of St. Michael Parish, I thank all those who contributed. May God bless you.

 Msgr. Lockard

MASS TIME CHANGE ~ This coming Tuesday, August 30th, (only) the daily Mass time will change from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM due to a scheduling conflict. Thank you.

MISSION CO-OP ~ The Benedictine Fathers of Saint Vincent Archabbey, Latrobe, PA will be with us next weekend, September 3rd & 4th, asking for our prayers and alms for their missions in Brazil and Taiwan and for the many foreign Seminarians who study at Saint Vincent and then return to ministry in their home countries. Please be generous and help them reach out to those they serve. This way you can become part of this mission of mercy and salvation. Envelopes are attached to this week’s bulletin. Please put your name and envelope number (if possible) on the envelope and drop it in the second collection next weekend. Thank you.

MASS ON LABOR DAY ~ There will be Mass here at St. Michael Church on Labor Day Monday, September 5th at the regular time –

9:00 AM.

OFFICES CLOSED ~ The Parish Offices will be closed on Labor Day Monday, September 5th, for the holiday.

LABOR DAY MASS ~ There will be a Mass on Labor Day Monday, September 5th, at St. Joseph Cemetery, Beaverdale, at 11:00 AM, celebrated by Fr. Brian Warchola. Everyone is invited.

BOY SCOUTS ~ Attention all boys grades K-12. Boys who are in grades kindergarten through fifth grade are eligible to join Cub Scouts, Boys who are 10 years old and have completed 5th grade are eligible to join Boy Scouts. Join Pack 51 and Troop 2251 (sponsored by St. Michael Church) on Tuesday, August 30th from 6 - 7 PM at Bethel United Methodist Church in Salix to learn more about the scouting program. Please contact Ronald Dobbins, Scoutmaster, at 814-243-1975 for more information.

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE REQUESTS ~ Lay Ministry schedule requests are currently being taken for the winter months of October through January 2023. If you have dates you are not available or dates that you are only available, please contact Suzi Blazosky at 495-5287 or email: sublazosky@gmail.com by Sunday, September 18th. And please contact Suzi with your Holiday preferences (Any Holy Days, Christmas, and New Year’s). Lay ministers are being sought for all Masses and all ministries – Cantors, Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, and Altar Servers.

ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY LITURGY ~ Couples celebrating 1,5,10,15,20,25,30,35,40,45,50,55,60 + years of marriage in 2022 and their families are invited to the Annual Wedding Anniversary Liturgy. Sunday, September 18th in ALTOONA at Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament or Sunday, September 25th in JOHNSTOWN at St. John Gualbert Cathedral. Handicap accessible. Both locations begin at 2 PM. Reservations must be made through your parish for either celebration by Monday. August 29th.

WOMEN’S CONFERENCE ~ The Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown women’s conference “Women Find Strength in Christ” will take place on September 10th at Holy Name Parish in Ebensburg. Kelly Walquist, founder of W.I.N.E.: Women in the New Evangelization will be the keynote speaker. Also presenting will be Denne Miller and Colleen Scariano, co-founders of SoulCore. The cost is only $10 per person. Please register online at dioceseaj.org or pick up a hard copy registration form our bulletin boards. The deadline for reservations is August 31st.

NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND PRAYER ~ Our Mother of Sorrows Church, 417 Tioga St. in Johnstown, will hold its monthly Night of Worship and Prayer on Friday, September 2nd at 7 PM in the church. Everyone is welcome!

40 HOURS EUCHARISTIC DEVOTION ~ Our Lady of the Alleghenies Parish in Lilly will host a 40 Hours Devotion on Sunday through Tuesday September 11th through September 13th. On the final night, there will be an outdoor Eucharistic procession around the grounds of the church, weather permitting.

MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA ~ A Relic of St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta will be venerated at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Windber, on Thursday, September 15th, 9 AM – 8 PM. There will be a Noon Mass and 6 PM Mass, Anointing of Sick after Masses, Confessions:

9 – 11:30 AM and 1 – 5:30 PM.

EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL ~ Our Diocese launched a Eucharistic Revival. The Theme is *“My flesh for the life of the World.”* Our Mission is to renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord in the Eucharist. The Vision is for Catholics across the United States to become unified by an encounter with Jesus in and through the Eucharist where we are invited to experience his true presence. In this first year 2022-2023, we plan to have a Diocesan Day, September 17th, with Priests from our diocese highlighting the Eucharist and inviting us to acknowledge that now is the time to RECOGNIZE JESUS AGAIN in the breaking of the Bread and receiving his presence. Stay tuned to Proclaim for updates and highlights.

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POSITION OPEN ~ We need someone here at St. Michael to do all the repair work that is needed from time to time. If you are interested, please notify the parish office. Msgr. Lockard will meet with you to go over the salary and explain the job description in more detail.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A.) ~ Are you interested, or do you know someone who is interested in becoming a Catholic? Are you a Catholic who would like to grow in faith understanding or has not been confirmed for one reason or another? The R.C.I.A. sessions will resume in October here at St. Michael. For more information, please call Suzi Blazosky at 814-495-5287 or email sublazosky@gmail.com.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



ANNUAL MARIAN CELEBRATION FAMILY MASS AND ROSARY ~ Sunday, October 2nd at 3:00 PM. Theme – *“Mary and the Holy Eucharist”*. Principal Celebrant, Bishop Mark Bartchak. St. Benedict Church 2310 Bedford St. Johnstown, PA 15904.

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



Holy Name Church, Ebensburg on Sunday, September 18th at 7 PM will sponsor Catholic Musician Daniel Obereuter and his mission concert. No cost, but a free will offering will be taken.

Also, 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.

 Religious Education And Christian Helping

August 28, 2022

 REACH Service Project



Help Is Needed at The Forest Hills Labor Day Festival

We really need our families to help. Almost all booth time slots are open and still in need of volunteers to fill in and help our REACH Youth Ministry with the Forest Hills Labor Day Festival on September 3rd, September 4th & September 5th.

*Help is still needed where noted \*. Student and Parent volunteers are still needed to help in the time slots marked on the sign-up schedule below.*

APPLE DUMPLINGS ~ ICE CREAM SUNDAES

 Saturday, September 3rd

11 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Ana & Amy Spangler ~ Alexis, Jackson & Heather Henderson

1 to 3 p.m.: Austin and Jude Pramuk ~ (*\* Workers still needed in Ice Cream)*

5 to 7 p.m.: Ellie, Brock and Amy Shaw ~ (*\* Workers still needed in Ice Cream)*

3 to 5 p.m.: Sydney, Carson & Jodi Myers ~ (*\* Workers still needed in Ice Cream)*

7 to 9 p.m.: (*\* Workers still needed in Both Booths)*

 Sunday, September 5th

11 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Bella and Amber Vranich ~ Brady and Chris Nugent

1 to 3 p.m.: Nate Cornell, Kathy McClemens ~ Chase Williamson and Bryce Roberts

3 to 5 p.m.: Caden, Kaylee & Susan Roberts ~ (*\* Workers still needed in Ice Cream)*

5 to 7 p.m.: (\**Workers still needed in Apple Dumplings)* ~ Austin and Jude Pramuk

7 to 9 p.m.: Kenz and Addie Webb, Laurie Sloan ~ Mckenzee, Mike and Jen Steele

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 Religious Education Scheduled to Begin

Our Religious Education classes will begin on Sunday, September 18 for Grades 6—12 from 9:00—10:20 a.m. and on Thursday, September 22 for K—5 students from 3:30—4:30 p.m.

Completed registration forms can be returned to the RE Office by way of the weekend collection basket at any of the masses or by dropping them off in person at the Parish office, or in the Drop-off box outside the office door. K—5 Bus Permission can be returned to the FH Elementary School.

 Sunday, August 28 Mass ~ 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

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

 Parish Corn Roast / Pavilion / 5:00 PM

 Monday, August 29 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Sunday Choir Practice / 7:00 PM

 Tuesday, August 30 Mass ~ 6:00 PM

 Mass Time Change from 9 AM to 6 PM

 Wednesday, August 31 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Thursday, September 1 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Saturday Choir Practice / 4:30 PM

 St. Michael Cemetery Meeting / Hall Rm. #2 / 6:30 PM

 Friday, September 2 Mass ~ 9:00 AM

 Saturday, September 3 Mass ~ 4:00 PM

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

 Missionary Co-Op / Second Collection

 Forest Hills Festival

 UPCOMING EVENTS



 September 4 Missionary Co-Op / Second Collection

 September 4 & 5 Forest Hills Festival

 September 5 Labor Day / Parish Offices Closed

 Labor Day Mass / St. Joseph Cemetery

