

# DUBOIS ROMAN CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITIES



St. Catherine of  
Siena Parish



St. Michael the  
Archangel Parish

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### **Parish Email:**

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### **Parish Website:**

[www.stcathstmikedubois.org](http://www.stcathstmikedubois.org)

Faith Formation: 814-371-4082

Classes at DCC from  
Sept-May 11:30-12:45

### **DuBois Central Catholic**

(Pre-K thru 12)  
814-371-3060

### **Bulletin Deadline:**

In writing or email to the Parish Office  
2 weeks before the requested date.  
stmichael.assistant@gmail.com

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The Lenten Vesper  
Prayer Service has  
been **cancelled** this  
Sunday evening  
and next Sunday  
evening at  
St. Catherine's  
at 6:30 p.m.

## **PRAYER CHAIN**

St. Catherine prayer requests,  
please call 371-6750.  
St. Michael prayer requests,  
please call 375-1156 or 603-2493.  
All requests should be renewed  
monthly if needed.

## **SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

### **St. Catherine of Siena**

118 S. State St.

Mass of Anticipation: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday Mass: 8 and 10 a.m.

Daily Mass at 7 a.m., M-F



### **St. Michael the Archangel**

15 Robinson St.

Sunday Mass: 7 and 9 a.m.

Daily Mass: M-F 8 a.m.

*(Please check bulletin for any changes)*

## **RECONCILIATION**

St. Catherine - Saturday: 3-4 p.m.

St. Michael - Wednesday: 7:15-7:45 a.m.

Anytime by appointment.

## **HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**

**St. Catherine:** 5:15 p.m., Vigil  
7 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.

**St. Michael:** 8 a.m. and 5:15 p.m.

*Please check bulletin for Mass times on  
Christmas and New Year's Day*

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## **Mission Statement**

*We, the Roman Catholic Community of DuBois, accept our mission to celebrate God's unconditional love of humanity through our practice and growth in community, Word, worship, and service.*

## MASS INTENTIONS

### MONDAY, March 23, 2020

C - 7:00 a.m. DuBois Catholic Community  
M - 8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of Skrzypek Family  
(Elizabeth & Family)

### TUESDAY, March 24, 2020

C - 7:00 a.m. Communion Service  
M - 8:00 a.m. No Mass

### WEDNESDAY, March 25, 2020

C - 7:00 a.m. John & Gene Green (Family)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Bernice Dill (Estate)

### THURSDAY, March 26, 2020

C - 7:00 a.m. Mary Shenkle (Janice Dressler)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Josephine Zbieg (Joe, Laurie & Randy)

### FRIDAY, March 27, 2020

C - 7:00 a.m. Rose Camise (Tom & Sue Camise)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Amanda Felix (Dad)

### SATURDAY, March 28, 2020

C - 4:30 p.m. Amber Stauffer (Mother & Family)

### SUNDAY, March 29, 2020

M - 7:00 a.m. Martha McCullough (Joyce Morary)  
C - 8:00 a.m. Patricia McIntosh (Mary Jane Szwedko  
& Family)  
M - 9:00 a.m. William J. DeChurch, Sr. (Doris  
Makufka)  
C - 10:00 a.m. Thomas Korthaus (Mo & Marsha  
Simmons)

### Invitation from the Sisters of Mercy

Attention all Notre Dame fans! Win a trip for two to Dublin, Ireland, to see the Fighting Irish play Navy on Aug. 29, in a drawing sponsored by the Sisters of Mercy. The Aug. 25-30 trip includes a \$2,000 travel voucher for airfare, four nights at a Dublin Hotel, daily breakfast and access to the Saturday Tailgate Awards Banquet with keynote speaker, former Pittsburgh Steeler and Notre Dame running back Rocky Bleier. The drawing will be on April 30<sup>th</sup> during the "Irish Spring with the Sisters of Mercy Gala." Tickets for the trip are \$20 each and are available at the Sisters of Mercy Motherhouse, 444 E. Grandview Blvd., Erie, or by calling Sister Bernadette Bell at 814-824-3635.

## Candle Intentions for the week of March 22, 2020

### Blessed Mother

(C) **Special Intention**

(Sanctuary)

(C) **Green & Shannon Families** by Family

**St. Joseph**

(C) **The Homeless** by Mike & Mary Ann Piccirillo

## CSA Update

Thus far our parishes have received the following pledges/gifts for the 2020 CSA.

St. Catherine parish has \$58,695.00 in pledges or gifts. 121 parishioners have participated. The assessment is \$76,603.00. St. Michael parish has \$33,365.00 in pledges or gifts. 100 parishioners have participated. The assessment is \$38,854.00.

## Protect yourself from Social Security Scams

Telephone and email scammers are pretending to be government employees. They may threaten you and demand immediate payment to avoid arrest or legal action. Do not be fooled!

If you receive a suspicious call:

1. Hang up!
2. Do not give money or personal information
3. Report the scam at [oig.ssa.gov](http://oig.ssa.gov)

## K of C News

### Chance of a Lifetime Raffle

Council #519 announces the 2020 Chance of a Lifetime Raffle. Book of 8 tickets for \$6. Prizes include a car, cash, and trips. Proceeds benefit Council 519 and PA. State K of C Charities Education Scholarships. For tickets or more info call Bernie at 371-7477 or contact another knight. Drawing is April 30; money is due by the first week of April.

### Attention High School Seniors

Council #519 is awarding two \$1,000 Community Service Scholarships to students continuing their education in a university, community college, trade school, or any post-secondary educational institution. The recipients will be selected based upon church/community service performed, an essay, and other materials submitted with the application. Applications are available in the back of both churches, parish office or at the DCC Guidance office.

St. Catherine Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., March 28, 4:30 p.m.	Gweneth Vida, Nicholas Volpe	Chuck Meier	Bridget & Tom Rubritz, Mary Ann Nicholls
Sun., March 29, 8:00 a.m.	Jack Adair, Maggie Tobin	Jan Strosky	Alyson Yoha, Gary Bojalad, Beverly Blakeslee
Sun., March 29, 10:00 a.m.	Madison & Rachel Miller	Stephen Boland	Jen Nixon, Doug Snell, Elvie dela Torre
St. Michael Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sun., March 29, 7:00 a.m.	Rick Chapman	Rick Chapman	Mike & Jean Kolash, Rick Chapman
Sun., March 29, 9:00 a.m.	Marcus Hoover, Brayden Zatsick	Loretta Lux	Bob & Sheila Patton, Loretta Lux

## Fourth Sunday of Lent

### St. Catherine March 15, 2020

Offertory - \$6,707.00, Cemetery Main. \$265.00,  
Priestly Education & Care \$2,058.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$10,700.00	\$395,900.00
Received:	\$6,707.00	\$387,467.68
Difference:	(\$3,993.00)	(\$8,432.32)

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### St. Michael March 15, 2020

Offertory - \$3,419.15, Candles \$56.00, Priestly Care  
\$1,250.00, Main. Misc. \$288.00, Cemetery \$90.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$6,250.00	\$225,000.00
Received:	\$3,419.15	\$193,156.71
Difference:	(\$2,830.85)	(\$31,843.29)

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*Thank you for your support of our parishes*

### Polish Fall Festival



The next meeting to continue plans for the Polish Fall Festival will be Tuesday, March 31, at 6:45 p.m. in the Parish Center, 118 South State Street.

### St. Michael Rosary Society

**St. Michael's Rosary Society** thanks you for your nutroll orders. They can be picked up on Tuesday, March 24, between 3 & 5 p.m.

### St. Joseph Force-Fish/Shrimp Dinners-Take-Out Only

You can call in your orders at 814-787-4819 or order at the pick-up door from Noon until 6:30 p.m. (Delivery in **Bennetts Valley ONLY** will be still be available.)

### 4th Sunday of Lent Source of Light

<b>Reading 1</b>	1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a (Samuel anoints David)
<b>Reading 2</b>	Ephesians 5:8-14 (Duty to live in the light)
<b>Gospel</b>	John 9:1-41 (The man born blind)
<b>Key:</b>	For once you were darkness, but now in the Lord you are light. Live as Children of the Light - for the fruit of the light is found in All that is good and right and true. (Ephesians 5:8-9)
<b>Adults:</b>	What are you doing in your life right now to move toward light rather than darkness?
<b>Children:</b>	How can you let the light of your faith in Jesus shine for others to see?

### Reconciliation Postponed

The **Sacrament of Reconciliation** that was scheduled at St. Catherine's for March 28, at 10 a.m. has been rescheduled for Saturday, May 2, at 10 a.m.

### Faith Formation

Faith Formation classes will resume on April 5, unless we are otherwise notified by the Diocese of Erie.

### Lenten Penance Services - 2020

Sun., March 29 - SS. Cosmas & Damian, Punxsy, 3 pm  
Mon., March 30 - St. Marys, Reynoldsville, 7 pm  
Tues., March 31 - Immaculate Conception, Brookville, 7 pm  
Thurs., April 2 - St. Tobias, Brockway, 7 pm  
Sun., April 5 - St. Catherine, DuBois, 3 pm

### DuBois Central Catholic News

DuBois Central Catholic Annual **Palm Sunday** Spaghetti Dinner tickets are now on sale. The **take-out dinner** will be held on Sunday, April 5, from 11a.m.-3p.m. at DCC. Tickets for adults are \$10. Children (under 12) are \$6. Dinner, provided by Luigi's, includes a salad, bread, spaghetti dinner, dessert, and a non-alcoholic beverage and will be served by members of the junior class. At this time the dinner will be **take-out only**. Listen to the local radio station, for announcements at church, or check the DCC school website for updates. Tickets may be purchased by calling DCC at 371-3060.

The DuBois Central Catholic Players performance of Rodgers and Hammerstein's CINDERELLA, scheduled for March 20, 21, 22 and March 27, 28 has been postponed. We are aware of the potential effect of the Coronavirus exposure on large groups of people. The new dates, if possible, will be April 17, 18, 19 and April 24 and 25, with the same show times as the March dates. April 17, 18, 24 and 25 are at 7:30 p.m. Matinees are scheduled for Sunday, April 19 and Saturday, April 25 at 2 p.m. Any reservations already on the books will be transferred to the new dates.

### Help Needed with Streaming Mass

A few weeks ago we began streaming the 10 a.m. Mass at St. Catherine so our shut-ins and homebound parishioners could connect with our Sunday Liturgy through the St. Catherine Facebook page. We have received very positive input about this service and we want to be able to continue it. We are now in need of people who can stream the Mass when Nick Forsyth is not available. Nick is willing to train volunteers and all you need to bring is your smart phone. All other equipment will be provided. Please call the parish office if you are able to help with the Mass streaming.

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