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### **Faith † Family † Friends**

#### **DuBois Life Chain**

The Annual Life Chain will be held this Sunday, October 2, from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m., rain or shine. Please remember this is a silent, prayerful witness of our belief that preborn children are God's gift to be loved, nurtured and have the Right to Life.

Come to the Edward Cherry Amphitheater in the DuBois City Park. Please be in place by 2:15 p.m. Kelli Mainous of Mary's Place in Pitts., a home for women in crisis pregnancies, will be the post - life chain speaker at 4 p.m.

#### **PRAYER CHAIN**

St. Catherine prayer requests, please call 371-8556.

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: 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass: 10:00 a.m.  
Daily Mass at 7:00 a.m., M-F  
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#### **St. Michael the Archangel**

15 Robinson St.  
(Mailing address - 118 S. State Street)  
Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.  
Daily Mass: 8:00 a.m., M-F  
(Please check bulletin for any changes)

#### **RECONCILIATION**

St. Catherine - By appointment only.  
St. Michael - Wednesday: 7:15-7:45 a.m.  
Anytime by appointment.

#### **HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**

**St. Catherine:** 5:15 p.m., Vigil  
7:00 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.  
**St. Michael:** 8:00 a.m. and 5:15 p.m.

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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, October 3, 2022**

C - 7:00 a.m. Ed Strosky (Jim & Patty Huffman)  
M - 8:00 a.m. All deceased who have no one to pray for them (Joyce Raybuck)

#### **TUESDAY, October 4, 2022**

C - 7:00 a.m. Yolanda Sekula (Ed & Della Nasuti)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Anthony Viglione (Family)

#### **WEDNESDAY, October 5, 2022**

C - 7:00 a.m. Luanne Varacallo (James & Emily Hendricks, Jr.)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Dolly Malewicz (Mother, Geneva Malewicz & Sister Carol Lewis)

#### **THURSDAY, October 6, 2022**

C - 7:00 a.m. DuBois Catholic Community  
M - 8:00 a.m. Sara Oleksy (Granddaughters)

#### **FRIDAY, October 7, 2022**

C - 7:00 a.m. Karen Holdren (Mary Sutton)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Frank & Fredora Mariani (Tom, Lori & Family)

#### **SATURDAY, October 8, 2022**

C - 4:00 p.m. Anniv. Rob Narvey (Dad)

#### **SUNDAY, October 9, 2022**

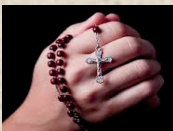
M - 9:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Francis J. Werner (Carol & Werner Family)  
C - 10:00 a.m. Louis Uhernick (Family)

### K of C Public Rosary at Showers Field in DuBois

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a public Rosary at Showers Field in DuBois on Sunday, October 9, at 1 p.m. The Rosary will be lead by Deacon Dan Satterlee. The intentions are for pro-life, since October is Pro-Life

Month. In addition we will be praying for world peace and for those who have left the faith, that they will return and that all who currently practice the faith will persevere to the end, as well as your own private intentions. The

Knights of Columbus 4th degree color corps will be on hand in dress uniform. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend and participate in this beautiful prayerful event. Please join us as we lift our minds and hearts in prayer to our God with the help of our Heavenly Mother.



### Candle and Flower Intentions for the Week of October 2, 2022

#### **Blessed Mother**

(C) **For the Sisters of Mercy** by Mike & Mary Ann Piccirillo

(M) **Josephine Carpin** by Kurt & Michelle Kister, Tim & Darlene Lockett & Family

#### **Sanctuary**

(C) **Victims of Terror** by Mike & Mary Ann Piccirillo

(M) **Donald Lester Williams** by Tom & Julia Nowak

(M) **Flowers at the Blessed Mother** are in Memory of **Jorgen Singer** by David Singer

### Eucharistic Adoration

On October 16, our 5 Parish families will celebrate an afternoon of Eucharistic Adoration together. It will begin at 11a.m., following the last mass at St. Catherine's in DuBois. The following schedule is a suggestion to include all of the groups in our parishes. However, you may come anytime at your convenience throughout the afternoon.

11:00-12:00...Rosary Societies and Catholic Daughters of America

12:00-1:00...Holy Name Societies and Outreach Group

1:00-2:00...Knights of Columbus Groups

2:00-3:00...The Confirmation Class

3:00-3:30...The Chaplet of Divine Mercy in Song

3:30-4:00...Benediction/Closing of Adoration

\*Confessions will be heard from 2 p.m.-3 p.m.

### October is Respect Life Month

Seven Considerations While Navigating Infertility Read the full version at [respectlife.org/navigating-infertility](http://respectlife.org/navigating-infertility). We often assume parenthood happens easily after "I do," but for many married couples, it does not. For some, the joy of conception never happens. Others suffer repeated miscarriages. Still others experience secondary infertility: after giving birth to one or more children, they are unable to have another. If you experience difficulty bringing a child into your family, know that God is with you, and that He has a beautiful plan for your life as a married couple. You are not alone; His Church desires to walk with you. The full article at the website listed above contains compassionate, practical guidance, intended primarily for married couples struggling with infertility, though others may also find it to be informative.

St. Catherine Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., October 8, 4:00 p.m.	Christian Adair, Katherine Adair	Terry & Vesta Siple	Deacon Dan Satterlee
Sun., October 9, 10:00 a.m.	Anna Roy, Abegail Snell	Carol Korthaus	Kristen Vida
St. Michael Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sun., October 9, 9:00 a.m.	Holy Name Society	Jim Thomson	Deacon Dan Satterlee



## TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Weekly Offering

#### St. Catherine

**September 25, 2022**

Offertory - \$7,294.23 Monthly \$130.00, Utilities \$95.00, Catholic Education \$384.00, Memorials \$15.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$10,100.00	\$131,300.00
Received:	\$7,294.00	\$129,666.65
Difference:	(\$2,806.00)	(\$1,633.65)

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#### St. Michael

**September 25, 2022**

Offertory - \$3,835.00 Candles \$30.00, Maint./Misc. \$5.00, Cemetery Maint. \$180.00, Catholic Education \$152.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$5,400.00	\$70,200.00
Received:	\$3,835.00	\$61,299.12
Difference:	(\$1,565.00)	(\$8,900.88)

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### Blessing of Pets

St. Francis of Assisi, founder of the Franciscan Order and Patron Saint of animals, regularly preached to wild animals and always prayed for them. He believed that every living creature was his brother and sister. Since 1991, we have celebrated that love for all God's creation by calling together our beloved pets for our annual Pet Blessing. In honor of his feast day on



**October 4**, we will have our annual Blessing of Pets this year on Tuesday, October 4, 2022, at 4:00 p.m. We will gather in front of St. Catherine Church. We invite you to bring your dogs, cats, gerbils, hamsters, fish, turtles, frogs, ferrets, etc. Looking forward to seeing you there.

### 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Faithful Christians

<b>Reading 1</b>	Habb 1:2-3; 2:2-4 (Habakkuk's complaint)
<b>Reading 2</b>	2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14 (Exhortation to faithfulness)
<b>Gospel</b>	Luke 17:5-10 (Sayings on the requirements of faith)
<b>Key</b>	Jesus said, "So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!'" (Luke 17:10)
<b>Adults:</b>	When have you done more than was required of you in the service of others?
<b>Children:</b>	When have you done something extra for someone in your family without being asked?

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### Fr. Ben Daghir's Corner

I played a lot of baseball while growing up: Little League, travel and all-star teams, thousands of backyard games, high school, Legion, and various other tournament games. I would like to share with you the best advice that I ever received from a coach. The advice really changed me as a player (and quite honestly as a Christian). I remember pitching against a very good team when I was roughly 15 years old. In the 4th or 5th inning, the other team started to hit my pitches pretty well. It was one of those innings that was make or break for the season. My coach called timeout and jogged out to the pitcher's mound. I was expecting him to talk about my pitches, how I felt, whether or not I should continue pitching, etc. Instead, he asked a question that was not on my radar. He asked, "Are you in control of your breathing?" I responded, "I don't know?" He replied, "I know. The scoreboard is indicating that." Ever since, I have sought to master my breathing - to be in control of my breath. When we control our breathing (in through the nose and out the mouth), we slow down and find a rhythm. We also allow for our breath to calm us down and to focus. Let me be clear - Tom Brady, Serena Williams, LeBron James, Aaron Judge, Alex Morgan, Steph Curry, and Simone Biles breathe more intently and more effectively than their competitors.

Are you in control of your breathing during the Mass? If you are not able to focus during the Mass, I recommend that you focus on your breathing.

-Fr. Ben Daghir

### St. Michael Rosary Society News

The October and November Rosary Society meetings will be held on the first Thursday (Oct., 6 and Nov. 3) instead of Wednesday due to the Alpha meetings. Members are reminded to bring a baby gift to the October meeting for donation to Catholic Charities Infant Pantry. We ask that you limit your gift choices to items such as clothing, diapers, toiletries and small baby toys.

The St. Michael's Rosary Society is taking orders for our fall nut roll sale! We will be making them on October 24, and 25. Orders can be picked up at St. Michael's hall on these days after 3 p.m. The cost is \$13/roll. Please feel free to join us for these fun days...we would love to have you! Please call Helena Wallace at (814) 591-5421. All orders must be in by October 21. Thank you!

### St. Michael's Annual Holy Name Turkey Bingo

Coming in November will be St. Michael's Holy Name Society's "Turkey Bingo". The event will be held on **Sunday, November 6**, with a **NEW STARTING TIME of 3:00 p.m.** in St. Michael's Church Social Hall. Cost will be \$10.00 each (which includes admission and a package of bingo cards). Extra cards will be available for purchase too. A **Flyer with Raffle Tickets** on the reverse side for the drawing will be in next weeks bulletin and extra tickets will be available in the back of both churches. You need not be present to win the drawing! Food and refreshments will be available for purchase. This event benefits projects of the Holy Name Society and is "OPEN TO THE PUBLIC".





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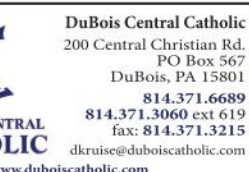
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