DUBOIS ROMAN CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITIESSt. Catherine ofSt. Catherine ofSt. Diena ParishSt. Catherine ofSt. Michael theArchangel Parish

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Faith Formation: 814-371-4082 Classes at DCC from Sept-May 11:30-12:45

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Bulletin Deadline: In writing or email to the Parish Office 2 weeks before the requested date. stmichael.assistant@gmail.com Faith **‡** Family **‡** Friends

Christmas Mass Schedule <u>Christmas Eve</u> <u>Masses</u> St. Catherine - 4 & 7 p.m. St. Michael - 5 & 8 p.m. <u>Christmas Day</u> <u>Masses</u> St. Catherine - 8 a.m.

St. Michael 9 a.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.

Mission Statement

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE St. Catherine of Siena 118 S. State St. Mass of Anticipation: 4:30 p.m. Sunday Mass: 10 a.m.

15 Robinson St. Sunday Mass: 9 a.m. Daily Mass: M-F 8 a.m. (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 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

> To Report Child Abuse Call PA Child Line 1-800-932-0313

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.

December 20, 2020

MASS INTENTIONS Please note time changes for Christmas & New Year's				
	ecember 21, 2020			
C - 7:00 a.m.	Eleanor McDowell & Gormont (M/M Dalla			
M - 8:00 a.m.	M.M. Catherine Sok Youngmark)			
TUESDAY. D	ecember 22, 2020			
	Anniv. Theodore Qu & Family)	ashnock (Wife		
	Reken & Vilkinosky Jim Fye)			
	Y December 23, 202			
C - 7:00 a.m.	Deceased Members McChesney Family Graeca)			
M - 8 [.] 00 a m	John & Lucy Lacny	(Family)		
THURSDAY.	December 24, 2020	(r carriny)		
	Bill Hand (Judy & Fa	amily)		
M - 5:00 p.m.	John & Julia Seary (Seary Family)	& Son, John		
C = 7.00 pm	Amber Stauffer (Mo	ther & Family)		
	Edward Misiewicz (
	ember 25, 2020			
	Deceased Members Fauls Families (Eve			
	Karen Ferut (Dan Fe			
	December 26, 2020			
	Charles Eltringham Lori & David)	(Wife Betty,		
	cember 27, 2020			
	Steve Behringer (Mo . Catherine Michael (& Family)			
	atherine æ/Time	Servers		

Candle Intentions for the Week of December 20, 2020

Blessed Mother

(C) **Tony DePillo** by Rob & Marcia Marchioni (M) **Josephine Misiewicz** by John & Norma Scull

- Sanctuary C) Ai & Helen Gormont & Eleanor McDowell
- by Mr. & Mrs. Dallas McDowell
- (M) **Alan Herzing** by Tom & Lori Herzing & Family
- St. Joseph
- C) Bob Fauls by Evelyn Fauls & Family
- (M) Deceased Members of Novitsky, Ross, Teddick & Yanek Families by Ron & Barb Ross & Family

Confessions



Confessions at **St. Catherine** will be heard by appointment only, please call the office at 371-8556. Confessions at **St. Michael** are on Wednesdays from 7:15 - 7:45 a.m. they will be heard in the cry room.

Collection for Retirement for Religious Thanks for Giving!

"We are conscious of the great generosity of the many benefactors who support the Retirement Fund for Religious each year," says a Catholic sister. "Support from the fund has been a tremendous blessing to our retired sisters." Thank you for donating to last week's second collection.



St. Catherine Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., December 26, 4:30 p.m.	N/A	Mary Ann Nicholls	Deacon Dan Satterlee
Sun., December 27, 10:00 a.m.	N/A	Bill Young	Gary Bojalad
Thur., December 31, 4:30 p.m. New Year's Eve	N/A	Chuck Meier	Mary Ann Piccirillo
Fri., January 1, 8:00 a.m. New Year's Day		Stephen Boland	Mary Ann Nicholls
St. Michael Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sun., December 27, 9:00 a.m.	N/A	Tom Herzing	Lori Herzing
Fri., January 1, 9:00 a.m. New Year's Day	N/A	Needed	Needed

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

St. Catherine December 13, 2020

Offertory - \$6,534.00, Utilities \$23.00, Vigil \$10.00, Gifts \$756.00, Flowers \$175.00, Monthly \$49.00, Religious Retirement \$1,702.00, Good Samaritan \$65.00, All Souls \$10.00, Immaculate Conception \$717.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$10,500.00	\$252,000.00
Received:	\$6,534.00	\$227,130.66
Difference:	(\$3,966.00)	(\$24,869.34)

No. Env. Mailed: 460 ~ No. Env.119 St. Michael December 13, 2020

Offertory - \$5,189.00 Cemetery Maint. \$70.00, Candles \$68.00, Maintenance/Misc. \$295.00, Human Development \$10.00, Immaculate Conception \$546.00, Flowers \$801.00, Religious Retirement \$1,1559.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$5,962.00	\$143,088.00
Received:	\$5,189.00	\$111,663.64
Difference:	(\$773.00)	(\$31,424.36)
	Immac. (Conc. \$546.00
		(\$30,878.36)

No. Env. Mailed: 361 ~ No. Env. 109 Thank you for your support of our parishes

St. Catherine & St. Michael Offices

The Parish offices will be closed Dec. 24 - Jan. 2. We would like to wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas! We will reopen on Mon., Jan 4. Office hours will be Monday - Thursday, 8 a.m, - noon and 1:00 - 3:30 p.m. The office is closed on Fridays. Thank you.

4th Sunday of Advent Acceptance of God's Will

Reading 1	2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 (The Lord's Promises to David)
Reading 2	Romans 16:25 –27 (Doxology)
Gospel	Luke 1:26-38 (The Annunciation of the Lord)
Кеу	Then Mary said, "Here am I, the servant of the Lord; let it be with me according to your word." Then the angel departed from her. (Luke 1:38)
Adults:	How do you open your heart to what God wants for you? How do you follow the Pathway that leads to happiness?
Children:	Is there something hard you need to do this week? What might make it easier?

In Loving Memory

And until we meet again...may God hold you in the palm of His hand...

In your prayers please remember **Mary Beth Amilkavich**, **Joanie Harvey and Ronald Suplizio**, brother of Marsha McCurdy. May she rest in peace and may her family and friends find peace and comfort in the days ahead.

Faith Formation

Attention Parents:

All Faith Formation classes are canceled until January 10. We pray that at this time things will have calmed down and we will be able to return to our "in person" program. Please follow the procedure for online instruction so that credit may be given for attendance. If you have any questions please call Rita at 371-4082.

Advent Week 4, Purple - The Candle of Love

During this final week of Advent we rejoice in the endless love that God has for us, which is made apparent in the birth of his Son: "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, That whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." (John 3:16)

Dear Jesus, May the light of your love always shine in our hearts. As Christmas draws closer, we marvel at your great love for us. Let your love transform every aspect of our lives and touch everyone we encounter. Amen.

Oplatki (Christmas Wafers)

Oplatki wafers are available at St. Michael Church in front of St. Joseph's altar. The cost is \$2. Please use the envelopes provided marked "Oplatki" and place in the box or use the mail slot on the door at the altar.

Al-anon Family Group from DuBois

Al-anon Family Group is a local fellowship for healing and part of a worldwide network that offers confidential support for the families and friends of loved ones who are in recovery or currently from drug or alcohol use disorders. Members of our congregation are welcome to participate and share concerns with others who understand the challenges of drinking and drug use like few others can. Using the 12 steps that Alcohol Anonymous spearheaded, this Al-anon program is spiritual at its core, which is the primary reason for its success. Liberty Al-anon meets every Monday night at 7 p.m. at the Church of Our Saviour, 400 Liberty Blvd. in DuBois. For more information feel free to call

(814) 541-2779 or (814) 590-5729. Come join us!

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