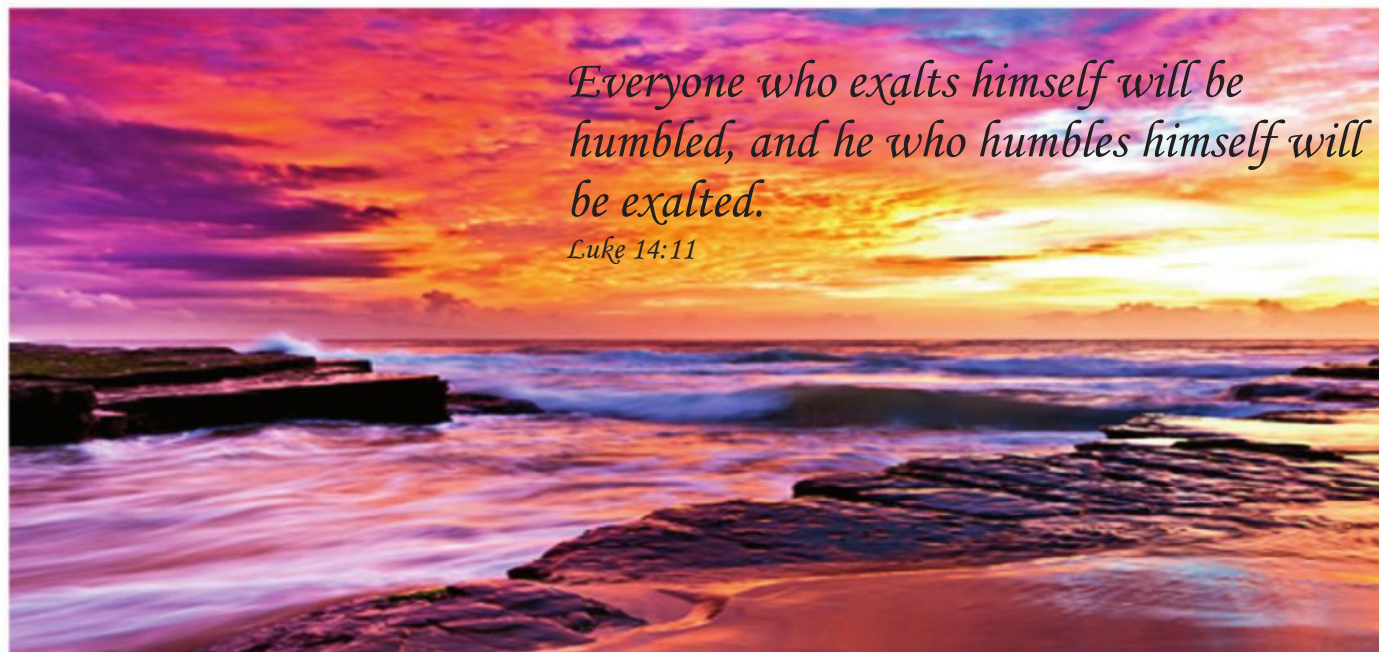


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## St. Catherine of Siena Parish

## St. Michael the Archangel Parish



*Everyone who exalts himself will be  
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be exalted.*

*Luke 14:11*

### **PARISH OFFICES**

#### **Mailing Address**

118 S. State St.  
DuBois, PA 15801  
Hours: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m., M-T  
Phone: 814-371-8556  
Fax: 814-371-0592

#### **Parish Email:**

##### **St. Catherine**

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##### **St. Michael**

stmichaeldubois@gmail.com

#### **Parish Website:**

www.stcathstmikedubois.org

#### **Faith Formation: 814-371-4082**

wegrowinfaith@yahoo.com

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#### **DuBois Central Catholic**

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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**

#### **Faith Formation**

Back to school and back to  
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have students who attend  
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New students to the program  
which starts with GRADE  
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available in the back of the  
churches. Questions? Call  
the Faith Formation office at  
814-371-4082 or email  
**wegrowinfaith@yahoo.com**

#### **PRAYER CHAIN**

St. Catherine prayer requests,  
please call 371-8556.  
St. Michael prayer requests,  
please call 375-1156 or 603-2493.

### **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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*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, August 29, 2022

C - 7:00 a.m. Jacob Rubritz (Tom & Bridget Rubritz)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of Sweka, Godek & Raybuck Families (Joyce & Leroy Raybuck)

#### TUESDAY, August 30, 2022

C - 7:00 a.m. Michael & Mary Hrin Family (Family)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Kathy Swisher Neville (Mary Lynn Portzer)

#### WEDNESDAY, August 31, 2022

C - 7:00 a.m. Maureen Viglione (Annette & Howard Fugate III)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Emerson & Eleanor Yount (Family)

#### THURSDAY, September 1, 2022

C - 7:00 a.m. Gloria Schalk (Maurice & Marsha Simmons)  
M - 8:00 a.m. No Mass

#### FRIDAY, September 2, 2022

C - 7:00 a.m. Connie Fitzpatrick (Connie & Rich Portzer)  
M - 8:00 a.m. Joe Domitrovich (Wife & Family)

#### SATURDAY, September 3, 2022

C - 4:00 p.m. Wilma Guilyard (John Horten & Family)

#### SUNDAY, September 4, 2022

M - 9:00 a.m. Thomas Carpin, Jr. (Tim & Darlene Lockett & Family)  
C - 10:00 a.m. Barbara Pompeii (Pompeii Family)

### Child Protection & Creating Safe Environments

Documentation for working with children: Working alongside the Bishop, the Office for the Protection of Children and Youth reinforces the ongoing implementation of policies and procedures that protect children. . The diocesan Policy for the Protection of Children and Youth screening guidelines and abuse prevention training programs emphasize the importance of knowing the employees and volunteers who have access to children in our schools and parishes. Parents should remain vigilant in insisting that those with access to their children have gone through an application process and obtained the required clearances and trainings before being granted access to their children. Visit [www.eriecd.org/childprotection/](http://www.eriecd.org/childprotection/) to see what documentation and training is required for those who work with children and youth in our parishes/schools/agencies.

### Candle Intentions for the Week of August 28, 2022

#### Blessed Mother

(C) **Special Intention** by a Parishioner  
(M) **Mary Lepionka** by Denise & Don McMillen  
**Sanctuary**  
(C) **Curley & Wilma Guilyard** by Theresa & Becky  
(M) **Edward & Josephine Misiewicz** by Mike & Jean Kolash  
**St. Joseph**  
(M) **Joe Domitrovich** by Joe

### Vera Bradley and More BINGO



Sunday, September 11, in memory of Linda Syktich, at Christ The King Manor Community Center. Doors open at Noon; games begin at 1:30 p.m. Basket Bonanza, food, beverages and bake goods available for sale. Grand prize \$500.00 cash. For more information, please contact Mary at 814-590-5087.

### The Alpha Course

Try Alpha! The Alpha Course will be offered this fall, at The Foundry in Reynoldsville, starting Wednesday September 14. Alpha is a wonderful opportunity to journey through the foundational teachings of the Christian faith and form community with others. It allows us to discuss the big questions of our faith like, "Who is Jesus? How Can I Pray? How Can I Tell Others? Is There More to Life Than This?" Past guests on Alpha have consistently stated that their experience created a loving relationship with Jesus, strengthened their existing faith, created a newfound understanding of the Holy Spirit, helped them pray and read the Bible, introduced them to new friends, and motivated them to be active in their faith. Alpha is an 11-week course, where each night guests are provided a dinner, listen to a short video presentation, and participate in small group discussions. The course is free of charge, and will be from 6:30-8:30 p.m. each week. Alpha is available for all parishioners, friends, and family of all faith backgrounds from 18 years old and up. To register or find out more, please visit your parish website under the title "Alpha," or call the parish office. The following is the link to sign up for the alpha program.  
<https://stmarysassumption.com>

St. Catherine Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., September 3, 4:00 p.m.	Katherine Adair, Christian Adair	Jan Satterlee	Deacon Dan Satterlee
Sun., September 4, 10:00 a.m.	Anna Roy, Abegail Snell	Stephen Boland	Jerry McIntosh
St. Michael Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sun., September 4, 9:00 a.m.	Noah Rhodes, Raphael Hernandez	Loretta Lux	Deacon Dan Satterlee



## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Weekly Offering

#### St. Catherine August 21, 2022

Offertory - \$9,030.00 Utilities \$18.00, Church in Latin America \$1,469.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$10,100.00	\$80,800.00
Received:	\$9,030.00	\$80,303.42
Difference:	(\$1,070.00)	(\$496.58)

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#### St. Michael August 21, 2022

Offertory - \$4,425.00 Candles \$30.00, Maint./Misc. \$15.00, Cemetery Maint. \$180.00, Assump. \$187.00, Church in Latin America \$731.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$5,400.00	\$43,200.00
Received:	\$4,425.00	\$37,400.66
Difference:	(\$975.00)	(\$5,799.34)

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### Bible Study in Brookville, PA

Who: Everyone is invited

What: Bible study covering the Dead Sea Scrolls

Where: Immaculate Conception Church basement in Brookville

When: Thursdays 6:30 - 8 p.m. August 25 - Thanksgiving

Format: CD/DVD presentation of Dr. John Bergsma,

Facilitated by Jeanette Chestnut

Books, outline and excerpt can be found at

[catholicproductions.com](http://catholicproductions.com) Questions? contact

Jeanette at 814-328-2674 / cell 814-715-1407.

### 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Seeking Humility

<b>Reading 1</b>	Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 (Humility)
<b>Reading 2</b>	Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a (God the judge; Jesus the mediator)
<b>Gospel Key</b>	Luke 14:1, 7-14 (A lesson in humility) Jesus said, "But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous." (Luke 12:51)
<b>Adults:</b>	Has the hunger for status and influence in the world around you endangered your life as a Christian?
<b>Children:</b>	Does it make you a better person to be chosen first for a team or some their honor? Why or Why not?

### Fr. Ben Daghir's Corner

This bulletin article is to remind us of something incredibly important.

St. Irenaeus once stated that the glory of God is the human being fully alive. God desires for us to thrive. He is not in competition with us. He neither improves from our unique abilities nor is He diminished as a result of our moral depravity. Despite this, God desires for us to flourish in order that we may participate in His sheer joy, happiness, and peace. God offers Himself as a gratuitous act and not out of need or self-improvement (like we often do).

The glory of God is the human being fully alive - intellectually, socially, artistically, athletically, economically, nutritionally, physically, spiritually, politically, psychologically, etc.

A good Biblical example of Irenaeus' point can be found in the story of Moses and the burning bush. Moses notices that the bush is on fire yet it is not consumed. Instead, the fire only enhances the beauty of the bush. This, of course, is an image of God permeating our lives, raising our lives to a higher pitch, and setting us on fire.

The glory of God is the human being fully alive.

-Fr. Ben Daghir

### Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Liturgy of the Word begins again on Sunday, Sept. 4, at the 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. Masses. Don't forget!

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Friday, September 2, 2022

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### St. Catherine Mum Sale

The annual Mum Sale will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m./ sold out on Friday, September 9, in the parking lot at St. Catherine (off West Weber Avenue- McGivney Hall side). If not sold out, the sale will continue at 8 a.m. on Saturday, September 10. More mums were ordered this year due to last year's high demand! Also, volunteers are needed to help unload the truck at 6:30-7 a.m. the morning of September 9. If you can help unload, please call the parish office at 814-371-8556.

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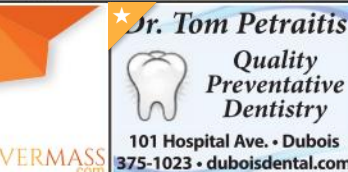


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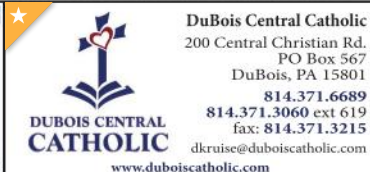
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