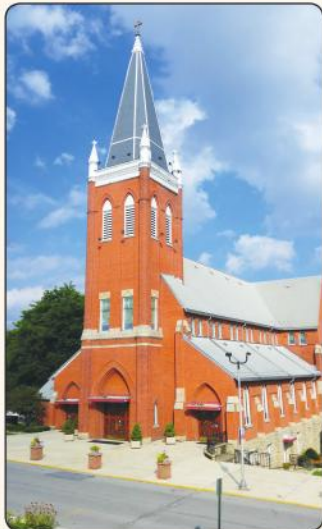


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BAPTISMS

A parish community generally celebrates Baptisms at a Sunday Mass. Pastoral reasons may suggest otherwise and are left to the discretion of the Pastor. During Lent baptisms will be celebrated only in case of an emergency.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTIONS

Sessions take place on the third Sunday of January, March, May, July, September and November and are required of the parents. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please make an appointment with a parish priest at least 6 months prior to the anticipated date of the wedding. Pre-Cana or Engagement Encounter is required.

SICK AND SHUT-INS

Please inform the Parish Office of any sick or aged persons unable to attend Mass. We will place them on the monthly visitation list. Emergencies will be responded to any time of the day or night.

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

St. Catherine of Siena
Mass of Anticipation: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 8 and 10 a.m.
Daily Mass at 7 a.m., M-F
8 a.m., First Saturday of
the Month only.
Please check bulletin for any changes.

St. Michael the Archangel

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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PARISH MEMBERSHIP

We welcome all new families and individuals. Please register by contacting the Parish Office. Please inform the Parish Office if you are moving from the Parish Community.

PRAYER CHAIN

Our parish prayer chains effectively brings spiritual help to those in need. For prayer requests for St. Catherine, please call 371-6750. For St. Michael, please call 375-1156 or 603-2493. All requests should be renewed monthly if needed.

SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

Sponsor certificates are issued to registered parishioners who are living and practicing their Catholic faith, supporting their parish and living a valid church marriage (if married). Church Law requires that a sponsor for baptism or confirmation must be fully initiated (baptized, confirmed and receives communion).

OUTREACH DINNERS

Outreach dinners are served in St. Joseph Hall, 301 South State Street, DuBois, PA. on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Friday of each month.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Information for the bulletin must be in writing or email the Parish Office 2 weeks before the requested date.

St. Catherine Mission Statement

We, the people of Saint Catherine of Siena Church, brothers and sisters in Christ, accept as our mission to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus as taught by the Roman Catholic Church through word, sacrament and service.

St. Michael Mission Statement

The parish of St. Michael the Archangel is a Pilgrim Community of Faith founded on Jesus Christ in the Roman Catholic tradition brought here by our Polish ancestors and shared with all. Our Faith Community seeks to both make Christ known and to know Christ. This is accomplished through teaching, evangelization, service, community worship and fellowship offered to all people who seek to know Christ and give glory to God.

St. Catherine of Siena and St. Michael the Archangel are a PA Charitable Trust



MONDAY, August 27, 2018

C - 7:00 a.m. Anniv. Sue Downey (Carl & Faye Youngman)

M - 8:00 a.m. Amanda Felix (Tillie Renosky)

TUESDAY, August 28, 2018

C - 7:00 a.m. Magdaline Good (Daughter, Gail)

M - 8:00 a.m. Arlene Vacco (Marjorie Baughman)

WEDNESDAY, August 29, 2018

C - 7:00 a.m. Joe Dapota (Daughter, Tina Dapota Fields)

M - 8:00 a.m. Betty Cavalier (Mark & Mary Segerberg)

THURSDAY, August 30, 2018

C - 7:00 a.m. Carol Kelly (Jack Kelly & Beryl)

M - 8:00 a.m. Michael G. Florio (James Florio)

FRIDAY, August 31, 2018

C - 7:00 a.m. Wiley Fitzpatrick (Rich & Connie Portzer & Family)

M - 8:00 a.m. Luttie Rehar (Georgie Carr)

SATURDAY, September 1, 2018

C - 8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Luisi Family (Bob & Patty Luisi & Family)

C - 4:30 p.m. Marianna Cimino (Michael Quashnock)

SUNDAY, September 2, 2018

M - 7:00 a.m. Joe Domitrovich (Wife & Family)

C - 8:00 a.m. Garren Christopher Stamp (John & Joyce Showers)

M - 9:00 a.m. Edward & Daniel Glowacki (Helen Glowacki & Family)

C - 10:00 a.m. Nancy Swisher (Catherine Egan)

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

In your prayers please remember **Michael Kush and John Loss**. May they rest in peace and may their families and friends find peace and comfort in the days ahead.



Candle and Flower Intentions for the Week of August 26, 2018

Blessed Mother

(C) **Thomas G. Breznay** by Marie Breznay

(M) **Flowers are in memory of Karen Ferut (Anniv.)** by Husband & Sons

Sanctuary

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

St. Joseph

(M) **Francis Kolash** by Mike & Jean Kolash

(M) **Flowers are in memory of Karen Ferut (Anniv.)** by Granddaughter, Bristol



FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Faith Formation classes for the 2018-2019 school year will begin on September 9, at DuBois Central Catholic, 11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Parents & students will meet in the school auditorium for a prayer service and an introduction of teachers. Students will be dismissed to their classrooms and parents will remain for a brief meeting with Fr. Siefer.

+++++ St. Catherine Fall Festival will be selling bowls and quarts of soup. The flavors this year are stuffed pepper soup,



chicken noodle and vegetarian vegetable soup. Also, don't forget to drop your raffle prizes-gift baskets or gift cards valued at \$25 or more to the parish office soon! It will be held 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 14, and 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 15,

in McGivney Hall. Remember, this is the parish's only big fundraiser. Let's make it count!

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This Sunday, August 26, there will be an evening of prayer and music with Rev. Bill Barron pastor of Assumption parish in Sykesville. It will include benediction and prayers for healing. It will be held at St. Bernard Church at 205 Taylor Ave., Falls Creek, PA. The time will be 6:00 p.m.

For more information, contact Judy Smart at 814-637-5930 or Rich Kenawell at 814-771-7932.

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You are cordially invited to the annual "Back to Choir" gathering to be held in McGivney Hall on Wed., Sept. 5, at 6:30 p.m. Please bring Hors d'oeuvre to share. R.S.V.P to Mary Pat in the Parish office by Thursday, Aug. 30 at 371-8556. All music ministers from St. Michael and St. Catherine are welcome, as well as, anyone wanting more information or to join!

St. Catherine Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., September 1, 4:30 p.m.	Maia Cogley, Owen Helm	Chuck Meier	Bill & Christina Mumma, Chris Vota
Sun., September 2, 8:00 a.m.	Christian & Jack Adair	Marsha Gasbarre	Mark & Carol Straffin, Beverly Blakeslee
Sun., September 2, 10:00 a.m.	Hannah, Madison and Rachel Miller	Art Ardire	Judi Boyce, Jen Nixon, Rosemary Evans
St. Michael Date/Time	Servers	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sun., September 2, 7:00 a.m.	Rick Chapman	Rick Chapman	Mike & Jean Kolash, Rick Chapman
Sun., September 2, 9:00 a.m.	Needed	Connie Georgek	Connie Georgek, Madonna Schwentner, Matilda Illuzzi

Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

**St. Catherine
August 19, 2018**

Offertory - \$9,476.00, Vigil \$9.00, Utilities \$30.00,
Assumption \$2,033.93, Latin America \$1,546.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$10,700.00	\$85,600.00
Received:	\$9,476.00	\$85,248.43
Difference:	(\$1,224.00)	(\$351.57)
		Assumption \$2,033.93
		\$1,682.36

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**St. Michael
August 19, 2018**

Offertory - \$6,836.30, Monthly \$240.00, Loose \$495.55,
Candles \$218.01, Assumption \$30.00, Cemetery \$30.00,
Assumption \$1,750.61, Latin America \$1,046.36,
Gifts \$150.00

	WEEKLY	YTD
Needed:	\$6,538.00	\$45,766.00
Received:	\$6,836.30	\$41,246.64
Difference:	\$298.30	(\$4,519.36)
		Assumption 8-19 \$1,750.61
		Assumption 8-12 \$30.00
		(\$2,738.75)

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St. Michael Infant of Prague Rosary Society will meet on Wednesday, September 5. The Rosary will be said at 6:30 p.m., followed by the meeting in the social hall at 7:00 p.m. Yearly dues will be collected at this meeting.

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**21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Christian Marriage**

Reading 1 Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b (Reminder of the divine goodness)

Reading 2 Ephesians 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32 (Christian wives and husbands)

Gospel John 6:60-69 (Effect of the bread of life discourse)

Key This is a great mystery, and I am applying it to Christ and the church. Each of you, however, should love his wife as himself, and a wife should respect her husband. (Ephesians 5:32-33)

Adults: In what way has the example of Christian marriage (your own or that of another couple) helped you understand the relationship between Christ and his church?

Children: What can you do for your family to show them Jesus' love and care?



Vera Bradley and More BINGO - Sunday, August 26th, 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 game \$500.00 cash! For more information, please contact Mary at 375-2376. Thank You.

The 6th annual St. Mark Festival will be on Friday, August 31, at St. Mark in Emporium. The festival begins with a homemade turkey dinner at O'Connell Hall from 4-7 p.m. \$10 adults and \$6 children 12 and under; also starting at 4 p.m. will be games and activities for young and old alike, free of charge. A raffle drawing and a Chinese Auction will both be held throughout the evening with winners to be drawn at 9 p.m. The dinner, games, snacks, and drinks will be set to the tune of the popular band the Moore Brothers starting at 7 p.m. The festival winds down at 10 P.M. with the last notes of the Moore Brothers. On Saturday morning, September 1, the ladies of St. Mark Church will be holding a yard sale. For questions please contact Lynn Summerson at 486-1215 or stop by St. Mark. Plan on joining us for a great time!

Icon Writing Workshop

November 4 – 10 (Sunday - Saturday)

Bethany Retreat Center, Frenchville

Come to Bethany Retreat Center for a special opportunity to learn about and create an icon based upon this 13th century image of Archangel Gabriel. The days will include class instruction and painting, personal prayer time, daily Mass and home-cooked meals provided by the Bethany staff. Materials to be provided include a prepared icon board, set of brushes, palette, 23K gold leaf, pigments, and all other necessary materials to complete the icon.

Everyone is welcome! To register or for more info:

www.bethanyretreatcenter.org

Email: bethanyretreatcenter@gmail.com or call 263-4855.

A special thank you goes out to the following volunteers

who faithfully came to VBS each day to help out. Missy Noroski, Alicia Bryan, Emily and Olivia Reed, Meghan and Allie Pittsley, Owen Vida, Kailey Pisani, Erin Maloney and Amanda Rossi.

Never doubt what one prayer can do.

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