# St. Michael Church

#### Mass Schedule - St. Michael

Saturday (Vigil)	4:30 p.m.
Sunday	7:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Holy Day	9:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

#### Mass Schedule - St. Margaret

Sunday9:15 a.m.Holy Day (Vigil)6:30 p.m.

#### Week Day Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday 9:00 a.m. Thursday 6:30 p.m. 1st Saturday Only 8:00 a.m.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

1st Thursday after 6:30 p.m. Mass at St. Michael's Saturdays 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. At St. Michael's

Baptism: Make arrangements at the church office.

**Marriages:** Make arrangements with priest or deacon at least six months prior.

**Church Office Hours:** Monday thru Thursday 8a.m.-12 and 1p.m.-4p.m. Parish office is close Friday, Saturday & Sunday. No business or scheduling will occur on those days.



# St. Margaret Mission

701 Denver Street, Jamestown, PA 16134 Phone: 724- 588-9800



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Frank Luciani *Deacon* 

Marty Aubel *Deacon* 

Patty Meehan Parish Secretary

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#### **School of Religion**

St. Michael's: Mrs. Teia Barger *Facilitator of Faith Formation* Mrs. Judy Seman Assistant

Adult Faith Formation Deacon Frank Luciani 724-588-9800

# **Catholic Community of Northern Mercer County**

# **FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



#### <u>MONDAY, MAY 11 - EASTER WEEKDAY</u>

Bernard Bickerton (Wife-Donna)

#### <u>TUESDAY, MAY 12 - SS NEREUS & ACHILLEUS</u> <u>SAINT PANCRAS</u>

Tom Liszka (Judi & Chris Lysek)

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 13 - OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Pauline Varga (Children)

#### THURSDAY, MAY 14 - SAINT MATHIAS

Matthew Neustupa (Irene Neustupa)

#### FRIDAY, MAY 15 - SAINT ISIDORE

Mark DelMaramo (Brenda)

#### SATURDAY, MAY 16 - EASTER WEEKDAY

Rose McElhinny (Family)

#### SUNDAY, MAY 17 - SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

For the People of Our Parish

# **MASS INTENTION SCHEDULING**

The weekday Mass intentions listed above are offered by Father David in the daily private Masses. The intentions scheduled at St. Paul's or at The Grove will be rescheduled when public Masses are permitted. Also, the First Saturday Mass intentions and Sunday intentions will be rescheduled as well. No new Mass intentions will be accepted during this time.

# **CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL**

A sincere thank you to all who made a pledge and/or gift to the Catholic Services Appeal. You have joined together with Catholics throughout the Diocese of Erie to share of your blessings to help advance the mission of the Church. If you have not yet made a commitment, it is not too late. Please mail the card or turn it in at the parish office. You may set up Catholic Services on the "WeShare" as well. Call the office if you need help with the program. Your generosity is appreciated.

# <u>PARISH UPDATES</u>

The parish offices remain closed to walk up business. The main office has been staffed to help meet needs of the parish during this unprecedented time although walk up is still discouraged in accordance with guidelines.

Offertory envelopes may be mailed to the church. The mail is reviewed daily and the counters tally the envelopes to be posted. Electronic giving is an easy way to make life easier. Please call the office and we will get back to you if you have questions or concerns. The generosity of the parish has helped us to stay in good financial position as you may have followed in the weekly Treasure report.

Masses have been posted via "live feed" to over 1,000 households each week. The process improves each week to fill the gap of the pandemic restrictions.

### **TREASURE (May 10, 2020)** Annual Offertory Budget

Annual Budget	\$ 628,000.00
Weekly Budget:	\$ 12,077.00

#### **Received through May 3, 2020**

St. Michael	\$ 4,975.00
St. Margaret	\$ 83.00
Electronic Giving	\$ 1,328.00
Easter Holy Day	\$ 130.00
One-time offertory contribution	\$ 1,350.00
Total Offertory	\$ 7,866.00
Year to Date Budget	\$ 543,461.00
Year to Date Actual	\$ 538,722.20

We are **(\$4,738.80) below** our Offertory Year-to-Date Budget

Good Friday for Holy Land	\$ 10.00
Catholic Communication	\$ 5.00
Good Shepherd Collection	\$ 280.00

# **CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL**

]	FINAL <u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Commitments:	229	96
Pledged:	\$136,277.00	\$ 62,100.00
Paid:	\$132,757.00	\$ 46,012.50

## <u>REST IN PEACE</u>

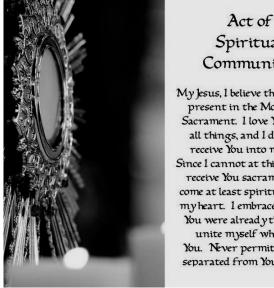
Please pray for the repose of the soul of Helen Kocholec. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

# SUNDAY MASS WEBCASTS

All webcasts will be streamed on our website

#### stmichaelgreenville.com or on FB @ Saint Michael Catholic **Church Greenville, PA**

The new camera view began on Saturday, April 25 with the 4:30 Mass. Fr. David had been using his cell phone to livestream via Facebook while the new camera was put in place to show the full altar view for Mass.



Spiritual Communion My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. 1 love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into myheart. 1 embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

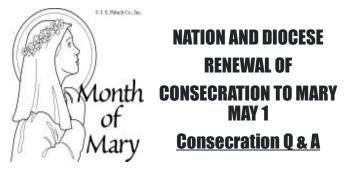
# VIRTUAL PRAYERS

Deacon Marty invites all to join him in daily virtual prayer at 8 am and 7 pm. Please email Marty at "maubel@eriercd.org" to have the instructions sent via email with the details to join in the prayer time. The information is not published but shared upon request to prevent hacking of the solemn time.

# SANCTUARY CANDLES

Sanctuary candles are an alternative choice to remember a loved one. Sanctuary candles burn for approximately fourteen days in the sanctuary. The intention and donor are listed in the bulletin for that time period or longer. Candles are available at St. Michael and St. Margaret Mission. Please call the office at 724-588-9800 for more information. Votive candles

are still available for intentions as well. The votive candles continue to be restocked regularly and lit during the hours the Church is open (10 am-4pm).



#### What is consecration?

Consecration is a response to God's call. Baptism is our first consecration. Through baptism we no longer belong to ourselves, but to Christ who imparts his life to us. Throughout our lives, we engage in subjective consecration by voluntary adherence to what baptism has made of us.

#### Why a consecration to Mary?

Through a collective dedication or entrustment of a nation to Mary, an act of consecration is meant to be a reminder to the faithful of the Blessed Mother's witness to the Gospel and to ask for her effective intercession before her son on behalf of those in need.

Bishops of the United States have entrusted our nation to the care of the Blessed Mother on multiple occasions beginning in 1792. Several popes have consecrated the world to Mary on various occasions.

Vatican II calls Mary "our mother in the order of grace" (Lumen Gentium) Mary is the prototype of perfect consecration chosen to help us in our consecration through her intercession and by her maternal care. She is the perfect example of church, a model of all the faithful. All consecrations to Mary are Christocentric and theocentric, "heighten the depth and truth of our commitment to Christ and must explicitly state that our ultimate goal is God."

#### Is a renewal of consecration necessary?

This renewal of consecration "will give the church the occasion to pray for Our Lady's continued protection of the vulnerable, healing of the unwell, and wisdom for those who work to cure this terrible virus," said Los Angeles Archbishop José Gomez, president of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, in a letter to his brother bishops. Each year, the church seeks the special intercession of the Mother of God during the month of May. "This year, we seek the assistance of Our Lady all the more earnestly as we face together the effects of the global pandemic," he said. (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops)



# FOLLOWERS OF MARY PRAYER GROUP

The prayer group is encouraging everyone to pray the Rosary in the safety of your home at 6:00 pm on Mondays. You may call Karen at 724-866-1035 for more information on the group.

# Annual Baby Bottle Campaign

Our Annual Baby Bottle Campaign on Mother's Day weekend has been cancelled this year due to the current Pandemic. This is our annual fundraiser for all of

the Pro-Life activities supported by our Council and Assembly. These activities include: "Pro-Life of Mercer County"; "Willow Women's Center Ultrasound" in Transfer; AWARE's "William's House" in Greenville and the Ultrasound Initiative of the Supreme Council.

Contributions can still be made by mailing contributions to Frank Yokubeak, 38 Lancaster Ave., Greenville, PA 16125. Monies collected for Pro-Life are handled through the Greenville Assembly, so make checks pay-



able to "ASSEMBLY 967" with Baby Bottle written in the comment area of check. THANK YOU IN AD-VANCE FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

# **PRAYER VINE**

Temporary change in the Prayer Vine: If you have prayer requests, please call or TEXT Sharen Seiple at 724-815-5361 Your requests will go on out on the Prayer Vine via phone or email. You may also call the parish office at 724-588-9800 and leave a message and your requests will be forwarded.

# **MARY OUR MOTHER**

What a joy to remember that Mary is our Mother! Since she loves us and knows our weakness, what have we to fear?

-Saint Thérèse of Lisieux



# **CELEBRATING 121 YEARS!**

Mission Statement: Saint Michael, an accredited Catholic Elementary school, partners with families in the education of the body, mind, and soul of each child.

To all mothers and those who provide the role model of mothers, we wish you a very ...

Happy Mother's Day

As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you; and you will be comforted over Jerusalem. Isaiah 66:13

#### St. Michael School Proud

To the third-grade class: Ty Bates, Ziva Brocklehurst, Andrew Harpst, Mason McEwen, Lucas Scott, Braeden Sellards, Krystal Williams, and their teacher, Mrs. Andrea Bable for their accomplishments this year. And to Ziva, Andrew, Mason, Lucas, and Krystal will receive the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist at a date to be determined.

To the first-grade class: Clarke Giardina, Beau Mong, Logan Scott, Parker Sheirer, Cecelia Sensesak, Colton Stephens, and Emily Turner, who look forward to their weekly Zoom class with teacher Miss Haley Germano to play educational games such as vocabulary Bingo.

Now enrolling PreK 3 - Grade 8 2020-2021 School Year Financial Aid Packets available by calling 724-588-7050.

PreK 3 and PreK 4 LIMITED ENROLLEMENT M – W – F or T – Th Programs 5 days – Full Time Information – Call Mrs. Morimando 724-588-7050 Virtual Tours Available.

# <u>ST. MICHAEL FORTY CLUB</u> <u>109 Chances to Win Prizes totaling</u> <u>\$26,150</u>

Call one of the following sellers for your ticket: **Rich Giardina** @ 724-588-5803; **Mark Holian** @ 724-932-5937 or **Roseanne McConnell** @ 724-588-3254. Only **599** tickets are sold! **Three numbers** are drawn **weekly** for prizes of **\$100**, **\$100** & **\$50**. Special Drawings are held throughout the year: **Easter** prizes are **two \$500's**, **two \$250's**, **two \$125's** & **two \$75's**. *It's not too late to purchase a ticket. Still many chances to win!* 

# **40 CLUB WINNERS - APRIL 29**

**\$100 -** Tom Uhrin; **\$100 -** Ed Bardella; **\$50 -** Kevin Walton. Just a few more weeks left!

# **KEEP IN TOUCH**

Keep in touch with us via email and text during this difficult time. Encourage and assist family and friends to join us on Flocknote, the Parish communication tool, to receive messages and spiritual support. Anyone can join. Sign up with us online on the Parish website: stmichaelgreenville.com. Click on the Flocknote banner and enter your contact information. To join by cellphonetext "thankful" to 84576. If you are having difficulty send them a message or call the office at 724 588-9800 to be directed to a specialist!

# **ALUMNI NEWS**

The annual Saint Michael High School Alumni Reunion to be held on Saturday, July 25, 2020 has been canceled. The committee was concerned about the corona virus issues and the risk factor for alumni who might attend. We hope to see everyone in July 2021. *Mary Jo Lipani, chairperson.* 

# **BULLETINS**

Every week there are limited number of printed bulletins available in the Gathering Space. Please feel free to take one to someone who may not use electronics for their information. The bulletins, with advertising pages, are posted weekly on "myParishApp" (usually on Friday) and the "stmichaelgreenville.com" website. If you have information to share with the parish email to Patty Meehan, parish secretary, at the email address "stmichaelsecretary20@gmail.com".

# **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday:	Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16;
	Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday:	Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21;
·	Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday:	Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday:	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; Jn 15:9-
·	17
Friday:	Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-
-	17
Saturday:	Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday:	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20;
	1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21
	or Jn 17:1-11a

# **GOOD SHEPHERD SUPPORT**



GOOD SHEPHERD is no longer accepting donations of food of any kind until further notice. The Food Pantry would welcome gift cards to Sparkle or Walmart as well as monetary donations to help meet the growing needs due to COVID-19. Please send monetary donations /gift

cards to the Food Pantry: Good Shepherd Food Pantry PO Box 422 Greenville, PA 16125

# **JAMESTOWN FOOD PANTRY**

Jamestown Food Pantry is no longer accepting donations of food of any kind until further notice. The Food Pantry would welcome monetary donations to help meet the growing needs due to COVID19. Please send monetary donations to:

> Jamestown Food Pantry c/o Sharlene Caveeck 1774 Pine Road Linesville PA 16424

The food pantry has operated out of the basement of St. Margaret Mission for several years on the 1st and 3rd Friday of the month. Sharlene was able to serve clients in a drive thru manner to observe the social distancing recommendations before the food donations were suspended.

#### MAY 10, 2020

# **PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY**

Staff Sgt. Steven Mortimer, Army, Fort Benning, Georgia Master Sergeant David P. Santell, Scott AFB, Illinois Cdr Kari (Szewczyk) Cummins, USN, Naval Special Warfare Group 10 Joint Expeditionary Base, Little Creek, VA MSGT Brian Gearhart, Camp Pendleton, CA Col. Raymond Millero, Jr., USAF, Las Vegas, NE MSgt. Matthew Mong, Davis-Monthan AFB, Tucson, AZ MSgt. Sara Knight Mong, Davis-Monthan AFB, Tucson, AZ Captain Paul Ochs, Moody AFB, Valdosta, Georgia SSqt. Andrew L. Gilmore Major Dustin Knaus, Army, Vandenberg AF Base, CA Major Samuel Burns, Army, Kansas Staff Sgt. Jason Morgan, 101st Airborne, Afghanistan, 2nd Tour Captain James Stubert, US Army, Fort Hood, Texas Specialist Shelby McElhinny, US Army Reserve, Fairview 2nd Lt Jeremy Fowler, Fort Bragg, NC Specialist Eddy Nottingham, Fort Bragg, NC Senior Airman Nicholas Nottingham, Hill AFB, Utah Captain Edward (Eddie) Bardella, Jr., Quantico, VA ITC (SEL) David C. Thomas, USN, Bahrain Captain David Ochs, Moody AFB, Valdosta, GA Master Sgt. George Madrid, Japan Major David Zgonc, Fort Bragg, NC 1st Lt Orrin C. Suich, Army, 82nd Airborne, Afghanistan 2nd Lt. Sebastian Coburn, Laughlin AFB, TX 3C Kiernan Coburn, US Naval Academy, MD 4C Xavier Coburn, US Naval Academy, MD Investigation Specialist Maison R. Millero, US Army, Military Police, Fort Drum, NY Carl S. Ditty, Crew Chief, KC135, Air Force, Dover, NH Daniel Walton, West Point Petty Officer 3rd Class Jeffrey Allen, US Navy, San Diego Master Sgt. Douglas Kost, Air Force, San Antonio, TX Technical Sqt. Jennifer Sloan Kost, San Antonio, TX

#### Fifth Sunday of Easter May 10, 2020

"I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." — John 14:6

Please pray for the sick of our parish and for the fami*lies & friends of our parishioners:* Mary Jo Lipani, Paul Szallar, Hugh O'Brien, Kate Slack, Roy Maloney, Ron Fontaine, Marcy Beckman, Erik Kurelko, Larry Anderson, Jameson Stepp, Danielle Parks, Connor Pressler, Tricia Allen, Caiden Nottingham, Kathy Karwowski, Kimberly Hopf, Gail Hightree, Michael D'Alfonso, Gilda Hertel, Rita Stell, Patrick Calvin, Piper Farr, Kathy Larkin, Kim Shellhamer, Garrett Valimont, Antonia Patton, Kathy Boyer, Candace McKee, Stacey Moats, Barbara Paxton, James Power, Fred Holzer, Debbie Dart, Donna Kollar, Kathy Hilton, Mary Louise Wilson, Dana Edwards, Jim Ruffing, Chuck North, Earl Saylor, Landon Peterman, Leroy Burns, Pete Leskovac, Dorothy McDonald, Adella Barr, Kevin McCann, Carol Mick, Lucille Christopher, Mercedes Zemeki, Sr. Mary Joseph McElhinny, Lisa Stepp, Jean Lesko, Chuck Maietta, Linda Collins, Mitchell Johnston, Tom Pektas, Dana Edwards, Tony Guy, Cindy Beagley, Andrea Roberts, Deane DeCiancio, Dan Ballech, Lena Bruno, Lois Metzger, Jean Black, Peggy Mansfield, Theresa Rufener, Marsha Quarles, Janet Collins, Johanne Slattery, Delores Hauley, Matt & Lauren Urey, John Shelhamer, Jessica King, Daniel Santilli, Joe Allison, Steve Uhrin, Jerry Dull, Caiden McKee, Bev Reimold, Annette Strosser, Raylene Selnekovic, Meghan (Kremm) Fossaceca, Janice Uzarski, D. J. Sheridan, Ron Kuhn, John McElhinny, Judi Lysek, Carmel Langiotti, Mike Ceremuga.

# <u>SANCTUARY CANDLES</u>

# DATEINTENTION & DONORMay 1—15Deceased members of the<br/>Meehan family<br/>(Patty & Tom)May 15 – 31Mildred Kuhn<br/>(Kim Hills & Family)June 1-15Toni McElhinny<br/>("Nana" June Gessler)June 1-15Tom Gessler<br/>(Rose and Family)

	<b>EW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION</b> IND RETURN TO THE RECTORY OR DROP IT IN THE COLLECTION BASKET AT MASS.
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<i>CITY</i>	<i>STATE ZIP</i>
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**BINGO EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT DOORS OPEN AT 6:00PM** 



