# St. Michael Parish

# Please Refer to Schedule listed inside this Bulletin for ALL Mass times.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

2nd & 4th Saturdays 3:00pm- 3:30pm St. Michael's

Baptism: Make arrangements at the church office.

**Marriages:** Make arrangements with Pastor at least six months prior.

**Church Office Hours:** Monday thru Friday 8am-12 and 1pm-4pm. Parish office is closed to walk up traffic at this time.





St. Margaret Mission

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## **Catholic Community of Northern Mercer County**

#### SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



#### PLEASE NOTE THE SUNDAY MASS TIMES TO ALLOW FOR CLEANING BETWEEN MASSES.

#### MONDAY, JULY 27 -WEEKDAY

9:00 A.M. Saint Michael Church: Michael McKay (Knights of Columbus)

#### TUESDAY, JULY 28 - WEEKDAY

9:00 A.M. Saint Michael Church: Steve Varga (Children)

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 29 -SAINT MARTHA

9:00 A.M. Saint Michael Church: Denny Swartz (Murrin Family)

#### THURSDAY, JULY 30 - SAINT PETER **CHRYSOLOGUS**

6:30 P.M. Saint Michael Church: Robert Maine (Family)

#### FRIDAY, JULY 31 -SAINT IGNATIUS OF LOYALA

9:00 A.M. Saint Michael Church: Antoinette Daniello (Anniv.) (Family)

#### <u>SATURDAY, AUGUST 1-SAINT ALPHONSUS</u> LIGUORI

4:30 P.M. Saint Michael Church: Stella Langiotti (Sister Paul Marie)

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 2 - EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN **ORDINARY TIME**

- 7:00 A.M. Saint Michael Church: For the People
- 9:00 A.M. Saint Margaret Mission: Benedict Schwartz (Family)
- 11:00 A.M. Saint Michael Church: Joseph Sucic (Frances Sarich Family)

ALL MUST WEAR MASKS WHILE IN ANY OF THE CHURCHES OF THE DIOCESE UNITL FURTHER NOTICE. MASS WILL NOT BEGIN IF ANYONE IS IN ATTENDANCE WITHOUT A MASK.

Thank you for your cooperation.

## **TREASURE (July 26, 2020)**

#### **Annual Offertory Budget**

#### The Diocese has suggested that the Treasure reports reflect offertory collections by Masses.

Annual Budget	\$ 598,000.00
Weekly Budget:	\$ 11,500.00

#### **Received through July 19, 2020**

4:30 P.M. Mass	\$ 566.00
7:00 A.M. Mass	\$ 1,194.00
9:00 A.M. Mass	\$ 957.00
11:00 A.M. Mass	\$ 1,052.00
Mail Ins	\$ 4,011.15
Electronic Giving	\$ 1,778.00
Total Offertory	\$ 9558.15
Year to Date Budget	\$ 34,500.00
Year to Date Actual	\$ 39,508.15
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We are (\$5,008.15) ahead of our Offertory Year-to-Date Budget

\$ Other Collections 441.00

## **CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL**

	FINAL <u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Commitments: Pledged:	229 \$136,277.00	116 \$ 86,075.00
Paid:	\$132,757.00	\$ 72,412.50

#### **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.

## **REST IN PEACE**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Linda Collins, sister of Sandy Ohl. May her soul and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

#### GO!

Go forth and set the world on fire.-St. Ignatius of Loyola

## Watch Mass LIVE

#### Saturdays 4:30 PM/Sunday 11:00 AM

Website - <u>www.stmichaelgreenville.com</u> Facebook - St. Michael Catholic Church Greenville PA

YouTube - St. Michael Greenville (Recorded)



Act of Spiritual Communion

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

## **BAPTISMS**

Baptisms may be scheduled by calling the church office at 724-588-9800. Fr. David is performing all the baptisms by Diocesan order at this time. Baptisms will be celebrated after the 11:00 AM Mass at St. Michael. Only one Baptism may be scheduled per week. The number of those attending the Baptism must be 25 or less. All must wear masks during the Baptism. Godparents who are not members of St. Michael parish will be asked to obtain letters of good standing from their home parish.

## <u>A SHARE IN GOD'S KINGDOM</u>

Today concludes a three-week series of Gospel texts in which we have listened to a total of seven parables about the Kingdom. The believer is asked to consider the request that God made of Solomon in today's first reading: "Ask something of me and I will give it to you" (1 Kings 3:5). Today's parables about the treasure buried in the field and the pearl of great price should prompt us to answer, "A share in your kingdom, O God!" Today we discover that the kingdom of God is beyond value, a priceless treasure. Unfortunately, our culture bombards us with things that it believes are priceless treasures—the bigger and better SUVs, anti-aging and antibalding creams and salves, miracle diets, and so much more. Having a share in God's kingdom and helping to bring about that kingdom are the greatest treasures that we can ever hope to gain.

## PROTOCOLS FOR PUBLIC MASSES AT SAINT MICHAEL PARISH:

On May 21, Bishop Persico announced that public celebration of Masses in the Diocese of Erie could resume on Monday, June 1. This decree stipulates protocols that must be met in order for the Masses to resume, realizing the final decision whether to open or not falls to the pastor of the local parish. These are the decrees that must be met:

- Maximum attendance of one-third total building capacity.
- All must wear masks at all time while present in the church.
- Safe Social Distancing must be kept –six feet from anyone.
  - \* People sharing the same household may sit together.
  - \* People arriving in the same vehicle may sit together.
- Hand sanitizers are available and should be used upon arrival.
- Church building must be disinfected after every use.

Also, realize that Bishop Persico has extended, and will extend for the near future, the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass in the Diocese of Erie, meaning:

- It is not a sin to miss Sunday Mass (or Holy Day Mass) at this time.
- Catholics in the Diocese of Erie are not obliged to attend Sunday Mass (or Holy Day Mass) during this pandemic.
- If anyone has flu-like symptoms, or is part of a "high -risk" group, or is anxious about attending -please stay home.

We, at Saint Michael Parish (including Saint Michael Church and Saint Margaret Mission) opened for public celebration of Mass on Monday, June 1. Because of our capacity and social distancing restrictions, a small number of people are permitted to participate. At Saint Michael Church -with a normal capacity of 600, 150-175 will be admitted; at Saint Margaret Mission -with a normal capacity of 180,only 50 -60 will be admitted. Please be patient and understand the restrictions upon us.

The Mass schedule for the week of July 26 is found on Page 1 with the Mass intentions. Please **NOTE MASS TIMES**, since Sunday schedule has changes to allow for cleaning in between Masses. There are special times on the 2nd and 3rd Thursdays in July and August for the celebration of First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

The Mass Celebration will be simple and last no longer than 40 minutes. There will be no ministries at this time:

- No Altar Servers
- No readers
- No Extra -Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Please comply with the protocols as have been set by the Diocese for everyone's safety.

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## **BULLETINS**

Printed bulletins are available on the table in the Gathering Space. The number of printed bulletins is limited to avoid waste. We will not return to the full printing compliment at this time. A copy of the bulletin is available on <u>www.stmichaelgreenville.com</u> and on the "myParish App". The front cover reflects the current information for Masses, Reconciliation and staff. Please share this information since not all our parish family is seeing the updates. Please contact Patty at the office (724-588-9800) if there is an update to the Prayer List found on Page 5 of the bulletin. The staff tries to be aware of changes but it is helpful to have a phone call if someone's situation has changed so corrections may be made right away.

## **MILESTONE ANNIVERSARY CELELBRATIONS**

The public health concerns this year have made it necessary to adapt the format of Diocese of Erie celebrations for milestone anniversaries. In lieu of Masses with the bishop, the Marriage and Family Life Office will celebrate with prayer, certificates, online sharing, and packages sent to honorees. More details are forthcoming. All are welcome to check out the latest information and/or to register a couple at <u>www.eriercd.org/</u> <u>familylifeoffice/anniv.html</u>. Please call Patty at the parish office at 724-588-9800 if you need assistance or a "mail in form" to register a couple. The deadline for the registration is **August 7, 2020**. Please make sure that you have your form in the mail to Erie prior to that date.

## **CONGRATULATIONS**

The first group of students were confirmed on July 16, 2020 by Fr. David at the 7 PM Mass. Congratulations to: Alaina Harpst, Nicolina Risavi, Mackenzie Hause, Camri Mayer, Jessica Graham, Justus Saulsbery, Benjamin Cano, Gianna Gentile, Dana Bielobocky, and Hunter Blatt. Prayers and blessings to all. The second half of the Confirmation students will be confirmed on August 13, 2020 at the 7 PM Mass. Times of the Mass were adjusted to allow for preparation for the students and the sponsors.

## <u>THANK YOU</u>

Thank you to the parishioners who help spray the pews after every Mass. The box with the disinfectant spray is found in the restricted pews in the back of the church. Feel free to lend a hand if you see there is a need. The pews that were occupied need sprayed as well as the backs of the pews that were touched while kneeling. The disinfectant is designed to dry without damaging the surface.



#### **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.

#### St. Michael School

As we plan for the 2020-2021 school year, St. Michael school will be limiting class sizes: PreK 3-5 (10 students per class), Grades K-8 (12 students per class.) Call school office for information. 724-588-7050.

#### Planning for the 2020-21 School Year

St. Michael School is working to complete the Return to School Planning Guide along with the Return to Athletics Plan. The goal is to provide a framework and process for proactivity addressing the challenges that will inevitably face us as we make plans to resume Catholic education for our students. This guide will continue to be updated as new information and guidance become available from the Catholic Schools Office, the Center for Disease Control, the PA Department of Health, and the PA Department of Education.



Due to Covid-19, many St. Michael School families need financial assistance for the 2020-2021 school year. Anyone wishing to help a student with this coming year's tuition may contribute through either the Tuition Angel Program or a Scholarship. Please contact school office for more information: 724-588-7050. **No gift is too small.** 

Reminder the Saint Michael School Annual Reunion was cancelled due to COVID concerns. The committee hopes to hold the July 2021 event.

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

We are selling 40 Club tickets again this year, even though a daunting task due to the current social restrictions. Your support for this fundraiser for our **school** is encouraged. Please contact any seller listed below to purchase your tickets:

Walter Beh @724 588-3108; Rich Giardina @ 724-588 -5803; Natalie Higbee @724 699-9021; Mark Holian @ 724-932-5937;Fran Krachkowski @ 724-588-3749; Roseanne McConnell @ 724-588-3254, Charles Stepp@724-588-2127, Wes Bates 724-699-6255, or Judy McKay 724-456-5644.

If you would like to <u>SELL</u> tickets, please call Frank Yokubeak at 724 588 4688.

Ticket cost is \$100. There are 3 weekly winners for \$100, \$100 & \$50. There are 8 winning numbers drawn at Christmas and Easter week for \$500, \$250, \$125, \$75 (2 each prize). One SPECIAL drawing on October 21 for people that have fully paid for their ticket. The final drawing is May 30, 2021 with 57 winners for a total cash prize of \$13,400. Only 600 tickets sold. Get your ticket early so you do not miss out. Drawing begins in August.

## <u>KEEP IN TOUCH</u>

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! **Remember to update any email changes or cell phone changes on Flocknote**.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Volunteers and staff have been attempting to update information as to our Mass and Confession times in local papers. Are you aware of a publication or a radio public service that shares our Mass times and Confession times? Please call Patty at the office, 724-588-9800, option 1 (secretary). The information is a public service which we want to be accurate. A call to the office will help with an awareness of who publishes the information as well as contacts to change information when necessary. Thank you for your help.

### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 13:31-35 Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Mt 13:36-43

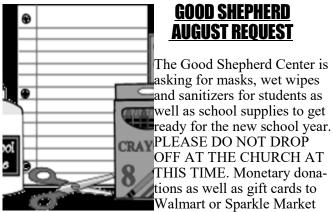
Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12

**Sunday**: Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-18; Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21.



are welcome. Your support is appreciated

## Knight of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus is having a Braised steak dinner with gravy, mashed potatoes and corn on <u>July</u> <u>26 from 12 - 3 PM</u> or until sold out. Cost is \$8.00 per dinner. Call Duke at <u>724-</u> <u>591-6245</u> with your preorder !!



## **ADVERTISING**

Our bulletin ads cover the cost of printing the bulletin. Did you know that we have printed bulletins throughout the COVID shutdown and restrictions? The number of copies were few at first so as not to waste resources. However, DocuCenter had the great idea to format our online bulletin with the covers so our advertisers were not slighted. Consider placing or renewing your ad by calling Jean at 724-589-2267 or email her at docucenter@thiel.edu for details.

## **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 SSgt. Andrew L. Gilmore Major Dustin Knaus, Army, Vandenberg AF Base, CA Major Samuel Burns, Army, Kansas Staff Sqt. 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, Fort Bragg 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 Sgt. Jennifer Sloan Kost, San Antonio, TX A1C Ashley Curtician, USAF, Eielson AFB, Alaska

#### Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 26, 2020

All things work for good for those who love God. — Romans 8:28a

Please pray for the sick of our parish and for the families & 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, 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, 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, Lisa Stepp, Jean Lesko, Chuck Maietta, Mitchell Johnston, Tom Pektas, Dana Edwards, Tony Guy, Cindy Beagley, Andrea Roberts, Deane DeCiancio, Dan Ballech, Lena Bruno, 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, J. P Morgan, Jane Addison, Rich Catalano.

#### SANCTUARY CANDLES DATE **INTENTION & DONOR** July 15 -31 Dave Muscarella (Muscarella Family) July 15 - 31 Cyril Marshall & Joseph Marshall (Mary Ann Marshall) July 15-31 John T Meehan (St. Margaret) (Patty & Tom) August 1-15 Mary Louis Wilson (Betty Fell Wasser and Fell children) September 1 – 15 Theresa Campoli (Natalie Higbee) September 1 - 15Tom Gessler (Rose and Family)

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