



# Saint Michael Parish

## EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESUR- RECTION OF THE LORD

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**SUNDAY  
MARCH  
31  
2024**

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr. 2 Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 PM.  
Apr. 5 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
begins after the 9 AM School Mass.  
Apr. 7 Divine Mercy at 3PM in the Church.  
Apr. 8 Young at Heart begins at 11:30.  
Apr. 14 Reception for Deacon Brandon Feikles  
at Noon- Lateran Hall.  
Apr. 20 1:38 Women's Conference Event (Erie,  
8:00 AM - 12:30 PM).  
Confessions on Wednesday's from 8-8:30 resume  
April 10.

## STEWARDSHIP

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord  
\$10,910.31

CSA  
Pledged: \$80,225  
Paid: \$54,000

**THANK YOU FOR THE GENEROSITY YOU SHOW TO  
OUR PARISH!**

## SUNDAY of DIVINE MERCY

The Holy Spirit Fraternity of the Secular Order of  
the Franciscans will lead the Divine Mercy Chaplet  
at 3:00 PM on Divine Mercy Sunday (April 7) at St.  
Michael. All are welcome to participate.

## REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the soul of Irma Knaus. May her  
soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in  
peace.

Date / Mass	Lector	Cantor	Accompanist	Altar Servers
Apr. 6 / 4:30 PM	Tyler Smart	Mary Smart	Lisa Demarest	Krystal W., Mason M., Lily
Apr. 7/8:00 AM	Cindy Saulsbery			John & Waylon W, & Duncan M.
Apr. 7/ 11:00 AM	Joseph Yarzab	Susan Swartzbeck	Kathy Williams	Ella & Lance P., Andrew

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

*Weekday Masses Tues– Fri 9AM /First Sat 9AM  
Saint Michael Church*

### TUESDAY, APRIL 2

**TUESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**  
Hannah Craig (Family)

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

**WEDNESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**  
Edward Shelley (Family)

### THURSDAY, APRIL 4

**THURSDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**  
Patty Palko (Brothers & Sisters)

### FRIDAY, APRIL 5

**FRIDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**  
Dennis Durkos (Ann & Mike Isacco)

### SATURDAY, APRIL 6

**SATURDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**  
Poor Souls in Purgatory (Robin Lewis)

### SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

### SATURDAY, APRIL 6

**4:30 PM** Saint Michael Church  
For the People of the Parish

### SUNDAY APRIL 7

**\*8:00 AM** Saint Margaret Mission\*  
Jim & Sophie Micsky (Jim & Cindy Micsky & Family)

**11:00 AM** Saint Michael Church  
Sophie Arnold (Natalie Higbee)

## 40 CLUB WINNERS-MARCH 20

\$500–Bonnie Barbarossa; \$500–Jacqueline  
Lauffer; \$250–Mike Walton; \$250–Pat/Mike Suich;  
\$125– Colleen/Stam Surmay; \$125–Nathan Ohl;  
\$75–Kathy Bonacher; \$75– Susan Jones.

## SANCTUARY CANDLES INTENTION & DONOR

**Apr. 1-15** Dolores Wertz (Eugene & Suzanne  
Dolecki)  
**Apr. 16-30** Stephen Banic (Wife and Children)  
**Apr. 16-30** Edward Tracel Pickens (Joan & Eddie  
Pickens)

## 1:38 WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Register for the 9'th Annual 1:38 Women's Conference!  
Enjoy a dynamic experience with women from around  
the Diocese of Erie and beyond! The Conference will be  
held on Saturday, April 20'th, from 8:00 AM to 12:30  
PM at St. Jude in Erie. Mass with Bishop Lawrence  
Persico. The conference is \$20 if you pre-register ;\$25  
at the door. To register, visit [www.1:38women.com](http://www.1:38women.com).

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will begin after the  
9:00 AM Mass on Friday, April 5. Remember to commit  
to your hour to visit through Flock Note. The Knights  
of Columbus will lead the Rosary at 6:30 PM. Benedic-  
tion will be immediately after the conclusion of the Ro-  
sary.

## FAITH FORMATION COMING EVENTS

April 14 Faith Formation Class- K-5<sup>th</sup> Grades, Edge (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade): from 8:45 A.M. to 10:45 A.M.

April 13 Cosmic Bowling for the 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth Group at Liberty Bowling Lanes from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. *Please get your Permission slips into the Faith Formation Office as soon as possible!*

April 21 Mandatory Confirmation Practice for 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> grade students and sponsors at St. Michael Church in Greenville at 2:00 P.M. Please contact the Faith Formation Office as soon as possible if this is a problem!

Please keep the following students in your prayers as they have completed their faith formation classes and are now preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on April 22, 2024 at 7:00 P.M.:

Kyle Barger, Cooper Bonadio, Skyler Bonadio, Kathryn Engles, John Graham, John Hake, Tanner Irvine, Michael Leonard, Autumn Leonard, Drew Leskovac, Duncan Mayer, Logan McGonigal, Ava Murcko, Casey Resek, Jacob Rust, Addison Ruth, Jaden Schuver, Tierney Scullin, Katelyn Swingle, Lily Thomas, Grace Wingard, & Isabel Wingard.

## A WORD FROM FATHER BRANDON

Our days of Lent have drawn to a close, and the holy days of the Paschal Triduum have culminated into this feast of all feasts, the Resurrection of Our Lord! Happy Easter to everyone! This Day begins a weeks-long season of joy and festivity contemplating what it means for us to not only have been saved and to have had Heaven opened for us, but also what it means for us to be Church. A hallmark of the Easter Season is that we delve quite deeply into the Acts of the Apostles where we see the earliest days of the Church, post resurrection, Ascension, and Pentecost. These feasts will punctuate the end of the Easter Season, but we will spend the days in preparation for these feasts witnessing the effects of the Resurrection - Easter. Easter, as we will see throughout this season, is not just given to us to think about the Resurrection for weeks on end, but to see its effects and what it means in the life of the Church. There is really no better treasury of words to read and pray through to see the effects of the Resurrection than the Acts of the Apostles. The Easter Season will take us through roughly 50% of the Book of Acts. I encourage you, as we walk through these weeks of the Easter Season, that you bring Acts into your practice of spiritual reading. The easiest way for that would be just to read the daily Mass readings. Or, if you wanted to - and maybe the better and fuller option - is to just read through the Book of Acts this Easter Season. There are 28 chapters of Acts and there are 50 days of the Easter Season...you could spend just three minutes a day in it and be done by Pentecost. It really is a simple yet powerful thing to do over these coming weeks. I'm going to do that; I haven't read the whole book like that for some time - join me!

Easter is also the time where we can see the effects of our Lent being played out in our lives of faith. In our pursuit of becoming what Our Heavenly Father desires for us to become, we now see why. Why did He want us to become, ultimately, one with His Son? Because as He has desired The Son to remain with Him for eternity, The Father has also desired that we be with Him, too. As the Lord opens up paradise and soon, at The Ascension, goes home to our Father, then we, too, will join Him! Even before we join Him at the Ascension - or maybe more poignantly, at our death - we are here living as these Temples and living stones of the Temple of Christ and that means that, now in Easter, these temples are filled with not only the Love of Our Father (as we saw in Lent) but now also with the Light of the Paschal Candle - the Easter Fire - the Light of the Resurrection! If we are wedded to Christ, then we will shine like Him, too, and that means that our lives become a living Paschal Candle, in addition to Temples and children of the Father! The beauty of this life in the Church is that we keep having our identity revealed to us through the sacred and holy seasons of the Church year!

Whatever season(s) speak most to you, awesome! Embrace it and get every ounce of Grace you can from the season! For those that may speak less to you or ones that happen during times of just busyness or moments of distraction, at the very least, be a Temple, be a child of The Father, be a torch so bright and beautiful that it illuminates the dank darkness of the world sick with sin! Just be someone!

*Love,*  
*Fr. Brandon*

## **EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS 2024**

*In Memory of:*

*Donor*

John Vaccaro, Guy & Mary Crivello, Frank & Anna Mae Piroga.....	Mary Lynne Piroga
David Rankin Sr. ....	Mary Lynne Piroga
Family & Friends .....	Greg & Kate Landfried
Deceased SMS alumni, Priests & Sisters who served at St. Michaels .....	Mary Jo Lipani
Deceased Members of Lipani & Lovetri Families .....	Mary Jo Lipani
Karen M Moyer .....	M/M Frank Amato
Deceased Members of the Brown, Lutch & Horn Families .....	Brown Family
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 Dr. Jennifer Turner ..... John & Judy Turner  
 Deceased Family Members..... Gail & David Naab  
 Uhrin, Allison & Scott Families..... Robert & Dorothy Scott Family  
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Ledney & Pagliaroli Family ..... Mary Ellen Zahniser  
Deceased Members of the Slater & Garnack Families ..... Tim & Katy Slater

SAVE THE DATE!!!!

APRIL 14, 2024

Plan to join the gathering after the 11 AM Mass to congratulate Brandon Feikles on his ordination as a Transitional Deacon!

The celebration will be held at Lateran Hall from Noon until 2:00 PM.

Charcuterie table, cookies, coffee, cold drinks, and fellowship!

Call the office at 724-588-9800 if you can lend a hand in set up or serving or baking.