



St. Michael's Catholic Church

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A member of the Our Lady, Queen of Peace, Deanery

February 4, 2018

Office Hours:

9:30-12 noon, Wed & Fri

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Church/Hall - 419-542-8714

St. Michael's Mass Times:

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 10:30am

Wednesday & Friday 8:30am

St. Mary's Mass Times :

Saturday 6:00pm

Sunday 8:30am

Tuesday 6:30pm

Thursday 8:30am

St. Joseph's Mass Times:

Saturday 4:00pm

Monday 8:30am

Church Directory:

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Reconciliation: 3:00pm Saturday and 7:30am Wednesdays & Fridays.

(Sun. & Thurs. 7:30am & Tues. 5:30pm at St. Mary's. Saturday 3:00pm and Monday 7:30am at St. Joseph's.)

Hospitalizations: Due to federal confidentiality laws, hospitals will no longer share patient information. Families must contact Fr. Borgelt or the office to inform him if someone is hospitalized.

Baptisms: Call Office at 419-542-8202.

Weddings: All weddings must be arranged through the pastor at least six months before the planned wedding in order to allow time for marriage preparation.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): Those interested in learning about the church or joining the church contact the office.

Liturgies

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Calendar

**February 4,
2018**

**5th Sunday in
Ordinary
Time**



H	Sat	Feb 3	4:00pm	<i>Living & Deceased Members of the Kennerk & Boecker Families</i>
B	Sat	Feb 3	4:00pm	Martha Hurd
E	Sat	Feb 3	6:00pm	Clair & Laverne Goebel – 64 th Anniversary **
E	Sun	Feb 4	8:30am	Marilyn Herman
H	Sun	Feb 4	10:30am	<i>Betty Bowsher</i>
E	Mon	Feb 5	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	Feb 6	6:30pm	NO MASS
H	Wed	Feb 7	8:30am	<i>NO MASS</i>
E	Thur	Feb 8	8:30am	NO MASS
H	Fri	Feb 9	8:30am	<i>NO MASS</i>
B	Sat	Feb 10	4:00pm	Eugene Muehlfeld
H	Sat	Feb 10	4:00pm	<i>** People of the Parish</i>
E	Sat	Feb 10	6:00pm	Janet Bonifas
E	Sun	Feb 11	8:30am	Marilyn Herman & Ellen Herman
H	Sun	Feb 11	10:30am	<i>Dennis & Evelyn Slattery Family</i>

H = Hicksville; E = Edgerton; B = Blakeslee
**Prayers for the living

A Family Perspective ~ February 4th –Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time -- In today's gospel Jesus went to the "house of Andrew and Simon" to relax but discovered that "Simon's mother-in-law was very ill. Like Jesus we come home to relax but are confronted with problems. Take a tip from Andrew and Simon who "told Jesus about it at once."

INCOME:

Sunday	\$ 2617.59
Initial Offering	\$ 31.00
CDs	\$ 33.00
Candle	\$ 3.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 5.00

Ministries Schedule for Saturday February 10, 2018 @ 4:00 pm

Servers: Becky Firestine, Izzy Meyer
Ushers: Dan Vetter, Leif Kurtz
Lector: Jan Kaylor OFS
Offertory: David & Mary Betz
Greeters: Greg & Joan Garmyn
Extraordinary Ministers: John Piasecki, Bob & Tabitha Crites, Pat Etchen, Christine Wonderly, Mary Slattery

Ministries Schedule for Sunday, February 11, 2018 @ 10:30am

Servers: Sydney Bland, Macie Eicher
Ushers: Bruce Guilford, Denny Vetter
Lector: Maureen Kennerk
Offertory: Dale & Carolyn Gallup
Greeters: Brenda Greer & Family
Ordinary Minister: Deacon Joe Timbrook
Extraordinary Ministers: Russ & Cindy Pierce, Brian Amstutz, Jim Gears, Brenda Hablawetz

Ministries Schedule for Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2018 @ 12:00 Noon

Servers: Jude Smalley, Seth Firestine
Lector: Mary Slattery
Offertory: Phil & Betty Meyer
Ordinary Minister: Deacon Rod Conkle
Extraordinary Ministers: Geoff Parker

Ministries Schedule for Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2018 @ 7:00pm

Servers: Luke Eicher, Joe Firestine
Ushers: Duane Bassett, John Piasecki
Lector: Steph Mazur
Offertory: Mike & Tomi Meyer
Greeter: Deb Harris
Ordinary Minister: Deacon Joe Timbrook
Extraordinary Ministers: Dale & Carolyn Gallup, Ed & Beth Mendez, Christine Wonderly

**If you cannot fulfill your scheduled ministry,
It is YOUR responsibility to get a replacement!**

FEBRUARY EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE SICK:

- #1 Deacon Joe Timbrook – 419-542-6590
 #2 Betty Guilford – 419-542-7881

FEBRUARY MONEY COUNTERS:

Polly Meyer, Pat Etchen
 Roseann Meyer, Carol Art

Building & Maintenance Fund	\$ 50.00
Landscaping Fund	\$ 169.00
Vocations	\$ 10.00

Weekly Calendar–Feb 4, 2018 –Feb 11, 2018

SUN Feb 4	8:45-10:15am	Confirmation Class Upper Room
	10:30am	Mass–Hicksville
	12:00pm	RCIA (Upper Room)
	2:00pm	KofC 1 st Degree
	6:00pm	Youth Group SuperBowl Party Potluck (Steph Mazur's House)
MON Feb 5	7:00pm	Men's Bible Study (Upper Room)
	7:00pm	Prayer Group (Church)
TUES Feb 6	9:00am	Monthly Cleaning
WED Feb 7	6:30-7:45pm	CCD Prek-6 th grades
	7:30-8:30pm	CCD 7 th , 9-12 th grades
THUR Feb 8	8am-7pm	Eucharistic Adoration(Ch) <i>NO Chosen Video Series</i>
FRI Feb 9	4:30-7pm	Kof C Fish Fry (Gym, Bsmt, Kitchen)
SAT Feb 10	7:30am	Momnipotent
	4:00pm	Mass – Church
	After Mass	Soup & Sandwich Meal
SUN Feb 11	8:45-10:15am	Confirmation Class Upper Room
	10:30am	Mass–Hicksville
	After Mass	Soup & Sandwich Meal
	6:00pm	RCIA

NEWS FROM ST MICHAEL'S

Ø **Mother Mary is Crying!!** Come deepen the meaning of lent and sacrifice and receive an understanding of Jesus' suffering by participating in the Stations of the Cross. There is a sign up sheet for any organization, ministry, or individuals who would please help the Church heal the wounds of Jesus this Lent by signing up to lead the Stations Of The Cross on Fridays from 7:00 – 7:30 p.m.. Sign up sheet is in the Sacristy or contact Deacon Rod Conkle 419-542-6473 or email rodconkle@live.com.

Ø **Ever wonder about the little bouquets of flowers that are in the back of church every so often?** These flowers have been provided by the Altar Rosary for people to take to those who could use a little 'pick me up'. We have all been in that place where we could use a little boost. So when you see these little cups of kindness, feel free take it to someone to let them know you care. The next weekend for flowers will be Feb 10 & 11. All we ask is that you write down the name of who is receiving the arrangement, so we don't have duplicates going to the same person. And if you receive a bouquet, consider yourself fortunate to have someone who cares!

Ø **ARS will be throwing their annual baby shower for the Crisis Pregnancy Center.** Please help us fill the crib at the South entrance. The crib will be up until the end of January. Most needed items are listed on the crib.

Ø **Don't forget...** Second weekend of the month (Feb 10th & 11th) Soup and Sandwich after each Mass.

Please keep those who are sick or those in need in our prayers:

Whitney Campbell	
Dave Kenner	Bob Slattery
Carl Sabo	Austin Ortiz
Betty Doeden	Floyd Esquivel
Leah Meyer	Mark Hoxie
Beth Reinhart	Steve
Lisa Firestine	Mary Ortiz
Marj Vetter	Jim Reinhart
Steve Talbott	Jerry Grimes
Doug Reinhart	Iris Hulkill
Erica Reineck	Henry Miller
Rochelle Reinhart	Betty Meyer
Jeanie Bassett	Donna Rice
Michael Bell	Jerry Piasecki
Cody Davis	Lindsey Thiel
Gloria Jasso	Lindsay Starbuck
Hayden Anderson	Frances Brachma
Melissa Skinner	Aiden Slattery

If you would like a loved one added to this list, a family member must contact the office (419-542-8202). Those added will remain on the list for one month, at which time the family can contact us to add them again as many times as needed.

Please keep all military personnel in your Prayers:

Levi Guilford	Shelby Reeb Yerks
Monique Jasso	Jack James Firestine
Sarah Frederick	Cole Reeb
Paul Vaz de Carvalho	Ethan Yerks

If your family has a member in the military please contact the office and we will add their name as well.

Ø **Stop by the lobby to pick up: --your angels from the Angel Tree, --your 2017 Contribution Statements, --your 2018 Collection Envelopes, --your 2018 Calendar (thanks to Pierce Automotive for those) and check out the New CDs, booklets and Books on the kiosk!**

Ø **"For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I in the midst of them." {Mt 18:20} Beginning August 21st, Saint Michael's parishioners - and others - will enjoy the opportunity to gather together before the Tabernacle on Mondays at 7 PM to pray with and for each other. We will be very informal and welcoming of ANYONE who wishes to gather to petition and praise Our Lord for any reason or no reason at all! We will bring our sorrows and our joys, our pain and our gratitude. No commitment! Come when you feel the need, the desire, or when Holy Spirit drags you through the door by your earlobe!**

Ø **Please Note ~** If you've recently changed your address, phone numbers or email please notify the office!

Do you have a strong yearning to be of more help but don't want to be up front? Our Ushers have an important job, and they do more than just take up the collection. They are our back up. They find us seats in a crowded church. They direct those who are lost (to the restrooms or other places). They help those who have unusual things happen during Mass. Would you like to be a St. Michael Usher? Contact the Parish Office (419-542-8202 or stmikehi@bright.net or saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com) for more info.

Ø **The Best Catechism is not just for Confirmation students anymore!!** Chosen is a video series of catechism lessons published by Ascension Press to prepare students for Confirmation. Yet, it is so compelling and orthodox and accessible; **EVERYONE** can benefit from these lessons! And so we will!! You (**yes, YOU!**) are invited to enjoy these lessons, some fellowship and even some food on Thursday evenings beginning **September 14th**. We will gather in "The Upper Room" at 6:30 for a simple meal, followed by video segments and discussion. There will be 18-20 lessons, and **no one needs to commit to every week!** Watch the bulletin for the "topic of the week" and join us whenever you are able.

Ø **The Franciscans** will come to your home, nursing home or hospital to **pray with you** if you or your family member is having surgery, ill or dying. Please phone Jan Kaylor at 419-487-0495, Beth Herman at 419-298-2078 or Jeanne Wonderly at 419-542-8053 **anytime**.

Ø **Note from the Bishop ~** When a county/city within the Diocese of Toledo is placed under a LEVEL 3 snow emergency, during which all roadways are closed to non-emergency personnel, the Catholic Churches within that geographic region will cancel the scheduled Saturday Vigil, Sunday, or Holy Days Masses. Roman Catholics in that region, therefore, are dispensed from the obligation to participate in Holy Mass via television, radio or internet, making a spiritual Communion. When Mass is cancelled, all other diocesan, parish, or school events in that geographic region are also cancelled.

NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS

Ø **The Trinity United Methodist Church coat drive is up & running for the Christmas season once again, but for the first time in years, we have run out of coats!** Our full inventory of coats is available on the annex porch, and with winter on the way, the number is sure to decrease. If you or anyone you know have new or gently used winter apparel you would care to donate to the coat drive, please drop them off 24/7 on the annex porch (we're located just across the street from the Hicksville Bank) or contact Peter Greer at 419-542-7124 (office) or 419-542-6160

(home). Please spread the word to others about our need for coats as well. Let's once again bring warm winter clothing to as many as possible! **WE AT ST. MICHAEL'S WILL AGAIN HAVE A TOTE FOR COATS TO GO TO TRINITY CHURCH LOCATED BY THE LIBRARY DOWNSTAIRS..**

Ø **"Entering Canaan" Day of Prayer & Healing Retreat for Women (Jan. 27) and Men (Feb.**

10). Suffering from a past abortion? You're not alone. Connect with local support and resources and explore other women's and men's experiences. Begin your healing journey and experience God's mercy.

"Entering Canaan" Day of Prayer and Healing Retreats for Women will be held

Saturday, January 27, 2018 and **April 21, 2018.** An

"Entering Canaan" Day of Prayer and Healing Retreat for Men will be held

Saturday, February 10, 2018. The day is hosted by Project

Rachel, a ministry of Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo. For more info & confidential reservations, please call 1-888-456-HOPE or 419-260-5811. Or email projectrachel@toledodiocese.org. Visit hopeafterabortion.com for more info on Project Rachel.

Ø **Project Respect is having their first annual Dodgeball Tournament on Saturday, February 24 at the Archbold Middle School.** This fundraiser will unite youth and/or the young at heart in a match of skill, competition, and downright fun! You can sign up a team or just come with a friend! We are having an 80's theme so come decked out in some rad gear!!

Ø **Sacrament Season is Approaching!** Stop out to Our Lady of the Pines Retreat Center Gift Shop. We have banners, gifts & cards for all occasions! Hours: Monday-Friday from 9am-4pm. Located at 1250 Tiffin Street, Fremont, Oh 43420. Contact us at 419-332-6522.

~~ *DAILY READINGS* ~~

MONDAY, FEB 5, 2018:
1 KGS 8:1-7, 9-13
MK 6:53-56

TUESDAY, FEB 6, 2018
MK 6:53-56
MK 7:1-13

WEDNESDAY, FEB 7, 2018:
1 KGS 10:1-10
MK 7:14-23

THURSDAY, FEB 8, 2018:
1 KGS 11:4-13
MK 7:24-30

FRIDAY, FEB 9, 2018:
1 KGS 11:29-32; 12:19
MK 7:31-37

SATURDAY, FEB 10, 2018:
1 KGS 12:26-32; 13:33-34
MK 8:1-10

SUNDAY, FEB 11, 2018:
LV 13:1-2, 44-46
1 COR 10:31—11:1
MK 1:40-45

Ø **Interested in a Pilgrimage to Ireland?**

Contact Margaret McDaniel at 419-290-8782
or maggie@catholicfaithjourneys.com

Ø **Defiance Area Society for the Handicapped**

wants you to be aware of their services for Pharmacy, merchandise, gas vouchers. An application must be completed to determine income eligibility. Medical Equipment Loan Closet, wheelchair, shower chair, canes, etc. Loans are free; donations are accepted. Gas vouchers, this program offers vouchers for out of town medical appts only. Pharmacy Vouchers offer financial assistance to the uninsured and under insured. Merchandise Voucher assists people with covering the cost of handheld showerheads, adult briefs, etc. **DASH** is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:00-4:00. Phone 419-782-1399.

Ø **Pope Francis' campaign for refugees**

& migrants. The aim of the campaign is to promote the culture of encounter in communities where migrants & refugees leave & return to, where they travel through & where they choose to make their homes. Please join the Holy Father in prayer & action for migrants & refugees. **February 8, 2018** – St. Josephine Bakhita Day - **Lent 2018** – CRS Lenten campaign will focus on refugees & migrants with the theme “*Share the Journey*” - **June 20, 2018** – World Refugee Day.

Ø **IMMEDIATE MINISTRY POSITION**

OPENINGS: CPC Women's Health Resource has several employment openings within their Sexual Risk Avoidance (SRA) education program called Project Respect. SRA education teaches that avoiding sexual activity before marriage is the only way to avoid its risks. The program encourages youth to pursue good decision-making skills. Project Respect is in need of Classroom Presenters as well as a Program Coordinator. The positions have flexible hours and is based out of the Bryan CPC Office. If you or someone you know have an interest in teaching middle and senior high school students and want to make a difference in lovingly speaking truth, please contact Mark atmark@cpcnwo.org or call 419.636.5692.

Ø **February 07, 2018- The Joy of Living Lent - Presented by Fr. Ted Miller.** 10am - 2pm. Join Fr.

Ted Miller as he shows us just how joyful the Lenten Season can be. Drawing on the writings ***The Joy of the Gospel & Laudato si'*** by Pope Francis, we will journey & discover how this Lent can focus us on living happily in our relationship with God, & God's relationship with us. The day will end with optional participation in Mass. Cost: \$20.00 per person.

Ø **February 20, 2018 - Lunch & Learn:**

Wrestling with the Noonday Devil. Presented by Sr. Pat Schnapp, RSM. Begins with lunch at Noon. We often find ourselves irritable, harsh, and judgmental—even though we try hard not to be. How do we

~~ **AMAZING PARISH CORNER** ~~

The Sacrament of Reconciliation, also called Confession or the Sacrament of Penance, is one of the most unique and beautiful aspects of the Catholic Church. Jesus Christ, in His abundant love and mercy, established the Sacrament of Confession, so that we as sinners can obtain forgiveness for our sins and reconcile with God and the Church. The sacrament “washes us clean,” and renews us in Christ. The Catholic Church recommends we go to Confession at least once a month, and it requires that we go at least once a year.

reconcile our flawed self with the self we strive to be?
Cost: \$15.00 per person.

Ø **The St. John Catholic Church, Defiance Men's Renewal Of The Heart Team presents**

Resisting Happiness a Men's Renewal retreat

based on the book Resisting Happiness and Videos by Matthew Kelly. When we resist God we resist happiness. You were made for a mission. It's time to let your light shine. The weekend will include fellowship, personal witness, group sharing, mass, reconciliation, and great food. All men are invited to join us. **Friday evening March 2nd 6pm -10pm** the theme for the evening is Are you a Pilgrim or a Tourist.

Saturday 8am -9:30pm the days' theme is inspired by the book Resisting Happiness. We will take a look at how to start choosing happiness through such topics as “Making Sense of Everything”, “Are You Spiritually Healthy”, “Falling In Love”, “The Power of Habits”, and “Your Spiritual Plan”. Take time with us to find the vision of your quest for happiness. For more information or to RSVP please call George Westrick 419-784-3975.

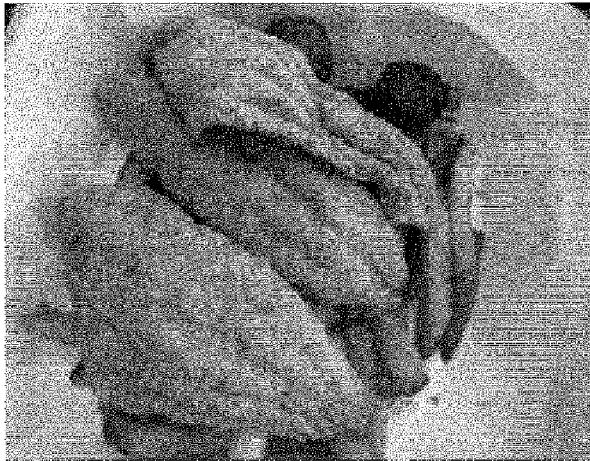
Ø **“The Face of Consolation”** Join the Franciscans on Wednesdays during the 2018 Lenten Season for an Evening of Reflection at the Retreat House of Our Lady of Consolation! **ALL are welcome to attend.** The evenings will begin at 6:30 p.m. with a simple meal and conclude at 8:30 p.m. \$20 for all 5 evenings of reflection or \$5 per night when scheduling a few. **February 21, 2018 ~ Friar Vincent Petersen, ofm Conv., February 28, 2018 ~ Sister Edna Michel, OSF, Tiffin, March 7, 2018 ~ Friar Ray Mallett, ofm Conv., March 14, 2018 ~ Sister Dionne Sartor, OSF, Tiffin, March 21, 2018 ~ Friar Ian Bremar, ofm Conv. Register today for ALL five evenings or just a couple by calling the Retreat House at 419-396-7970 or the Shrine Office at 419-396-7107 to make your reservations. You may also email the Retreat House at retreats@olcshrine.com.**

2018 Knights of Columbus Fish Fries



Sit down or take-out from 4:30 – 7:00 PM

Frydays:



January 26

February 9

February 23

March 9

March 23

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Hicksville Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Never Let Go Ministries

Safe Haven Baby Boxes



WELCOME TO THE NEW CATHOLIC MEDIA CENTER!
**Need something to enhance your Advent
devotions or learning?**
Need a gift for Christmas?
**Want to help someone else learn more
about the Catholic Church?**

St. Michael's New Catholic Media Center may have what you need!

New CDs:

- **Living Life by Design, Not Default** (Fr. Mike Schmitz)
- **Jesus & the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist** (Dr. Brant Pitre)
- **7 Secrets of Confession** (Vinny Flynn)
- **The New Conversation: Changing Hearts & Minds on Abortion** (Stephanie Gray)
- **The Mass Explained** (Fr. Larry Richards)
- **Who Am I to Judge? Responding to Relativism with Logic & Love** (Dr. Edward Sri)
- **Religionless Spirituality: Why We Need the Church** (Dr. Tim Gray)
- **The Case for Jesus: The Biblical & Historical Evidence for Christ** (Dr. Brant Pitre)
- **Why I Left Planned Parenthood: From Death to Life** (Abby Johnson)
- **Contagious Catholicism: The 7 Habits of Modern Day Apostles** (Chris Stefanick)
- **The Second Greatest Story Ever Told** (Fr. Michael Gaitley)
- **Raising Amazing Children** (Matthew Kelly)
- **Facing Your Fears** (Mark Hart)
- **Epic Food Fight** (Fr. Leo Patalinghug)
- **From Jehovah's Witness to Catholic: the Story of My Conversion** (Mary Kochan)
- **Our Lady of Fatima: Truth to Inspire Series** (dramatization for kids and adults) (speaker Quiet Waters)
- **Calming the Emotional Storms: Four Keys to Emotional Peace** (Dr. Gregory Popcak)
- **Right Here, Right Now: Always Be Ready to Share Your Faith** (Patrick Madrid)

For more info on each item, visit our
website at saintmichaelsville.org

Booklets:

- **How to Pray the Rosary** (Fr. Donald Calloway)
- **Why Go to Mass?**
- **Our Lady, Untier of Knots**
- **Preparing for Your Child's Baptism**
- **Explaining Islam**

Books:

- **Perfectly YOURSELF: Discovering God's Dream for You** (Matthew Kelly)
- **The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic** (Matthew Kelly)
- **Rediscovering Jesus** (Matthew Kelly)
- **Rediscovering Catholicism** (Matthew Kelly)

Suggested donations
CDs: \$4 or 3 CDs for \$10 • **Booklets: \$3**
Books: \$5 or as marked • **Pamphlets: 50¢**