



St. Michael Catholic Church

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

March 15, 2020

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9:30-12 noon, Wed & Fri

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St. Michael's Mass Times:

Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 10:30am
Wednesday & Friday 8:30am

St. Mary's Mass Times :

Sunday 8:30am
Tuesday 6:30pm
Thursday 8:30am

St. Joseph's Mass Times:

Saturday 6:00pm
Monday 8:30am

Reconciliation: 7:30am Wednesdays & Fridays.

(Sun. & Thurs. 7:30am & Tues. 5:30pm at St. Mary's. 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 & Calendar



March 15, 2020

H	Sat	Mar 14	4:00pm	Roman & Christine Laker
B	Sat	Mar 14	6:00pm	** The Parish
E	Sun	Mar 15	8:30am	Wayne & Stan Perry
H	Sun	Mar 15	10:30am	Blas Jasso, Jr.
B	Mon	Mar 16	8:30am	Chris Cook
E	Tues	Mar 17	6:30pm	Raymond & Imogene Stark
H	Wed	Mar 18	8:30am	Trina Kahle
E	Thur	Mar 19	8:30am	** The Parish
H	Fri	Mar 20	8:30am	Paul Borgelt
H	Sat	Mar 21	4:00pm	Lee Carpenter
B	Sat	Mar 21	6:00pm	LaRue Alexander
E	Sun	Mar 22	8:30am	Ellen Herman
H	Sun	Mar 22	10:30am	Kevin Gibson

H = Hicksville; E = Edgerton; B = Blakeslee

**Prayers for the living

Weekly Calendar – Mar 15, 2020 – Mar 22, 2020

SUN	Mar 15	8:30am	Confirmation Class
			High School CCD Class
		10:30am	Sunday Mass
		After Mass	Soup & Sandwich Meal
		1:30pm	Franciscan Frat. & Form.
		7:00pm	Youth Group
MON	Mar 16	7:00pm	Prayer Group
TUES	Mar 17	7:00pm	Men's Group
WED	Mar 18	8:30am	Mass
		6:30pm	CCD Classes PreK-7 th Grade
		6:30pm	Biblical Walk
THUR	Mar 19	8:00am	Eucharistic Adoration (Ch)
		7:00pm	RCIA
FRI	Mar 20	8:30am	Mass
		4:30pm	K of C Fish Fry
		7:00pm	Stations of the Cross
SAT	Mar 21	4:00pm	Mass
		6:30pm	Parish Square Dance
SUN	Mar 22	8:30am	Confirmation Rehearsal
			No High School CCD Class
		10:30am	Sunday Mass
		2:00pm	Penance Service - Edgerton

Ministries Schedule for Saturday,

March 21, 2020 @ 4:00pm

Servers: Seth Firestine, Izzy Meyer
Ushers: Greg Slattery, Leif Kurtz
Lector: Tony Nieuwlandt
Offertory: The Franciscans
Greeters: Greg & Joan Garmyn
Extraordinary Ministers: Diane Timbrook, Bob & Tabitha Crites, Joan Garmyn, Greg & Dee Pepple

Ministries Schedule for Sunday,

March 22, 2020 @ 10:30am

Servers: Caleb & Dominic Laker
Ushers: Eric Art, Duane Bassett
Lector: Dale Gallup
Offertory: Dale & Carolyn Gallup
Greeters: Marlin & Tasha Eicher
Extraordinary Ministers: Russ & Cindy Pierce, Brian Amstutz, Terry & Sharon Brown, Jim Gears

**If you cannot fulfill your scheduled ministry,
It is YOUR responsibility to get a replacement!
Call or Text Lisa Firestine for scheduling changes
at 260-715-0439**

MARCH EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE SICK:

1. Ed Mendez and Beth 419-279-4915
2. Diane Collins 419--487-1297

MARCH MONEY COUNTERS:

Joan Linder, Pat Etchen
Carol Art, Sheila Bassett

MARCH MONEY COLLECTOR:

Saturday - Mike Meyer
Sunday - Deb Thiel

INCOME:

Sunday	\$ 3652.34
Online Giving	\$ 775.00
Building & Maintenance Fund	\$ 14.00
Candle	\$ 6.00
CRS	\$ 20.00
Initial Offering	\$ 28.00

A Family Perspective ~ March 15th – 3rd Sunday in Lent ~

Our children are like the Samaritan woman in today's gospel. They need more than material things. They need the 'living water' only the adults can give. It will teach them how to make decisions, take responsibility, respect themselves and others and live their commitments. With this "living water" they will "never thirst."

NEWS FROM ST MICHAEL

- **Soup & Sandwich meal is this weekend after BOTH Masses.** This free meal is open to everyone! Thanks to the Altar Rosary Society ladies for feeding us.
- **The Biblical Walk through the Mass** started last Wednesday but don't let that stop you from coming this week. It runs for 5 weeks total during Lent. If your kids are in CCD, we'll get you out in time to pick them up. Join us on **Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm** in the Office Conference Room.
- **SQUARE DANCES!!!** We need your help. *First*, we need people to volunteer to help-for set up & clean up and to work selling tickets working the drink table. The sign up sheet is in the lobby of church. Please put your name & phone Number. *Second*, we need you to Spread The Word! Let everyone know about our family fun night. Third, we need you to come to the dances. Yes, the whole parish should be there to join in the dancing or just enjoy the environment! You should all be there and be Square. . . dancing, that is! ***It won't be a success if we don't all work together!!***
- **Help enrich our Lenten experience!** We are looking for Families, Organizations, or Individuals to lead the stations of the cross on Friday nights at 7:00 pm during Lents. If you sign up you will be responsible to arrange the attendance of 1 Reader, 1 Cross Bearer, and 2 Candle Bearers. Mother Mary would strongly encourage all of us to come and experience what Jesus did for us so our sins could be forgiven. Sign-up Sheet is in the Sacristy all time slots are open. **Any Questions contact Deacon Rod. Stations of the Cross begin again every Friday during Lent at 7pm.**
- **Countless lives are touched by every contribution to the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal.** Children, seminary students, the sick and aged, the needy—they all depend on our generosity. Faith, hope and love come alive through the



**Solemnity of Saint Joseph,
husband of the
Blessed Virgin Mary
March 19th**

Annual Catholic Appeal, which in turn fosters the Holy Disciples, Holy Families and Holy Vocations. Thank you for pledging today to help meet our parish goal. and assure the continuation of these programs and services. For more information on ministries funded by the appeal visit

Toledodiocese.org/A
CA. **Saint
Michael's parish
goal this year is**

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

Aiden Slattery	Jeanie Bassett
Austin Ortiz	Jerry Piasecki
Beth Reinhart	Jill Nussel
Betty Doeden	Jim Reinhart
Betty Meyer	Janis Meyer
Bill Hablawetz	Joshua Zollinger
Bill Welly	Koralyn Tuomi
Carl Sabo	Leah Meyer
Carmen Lanum	Lindsay Starbuck
Cody Davis	Lindsey Thiel
Corey Schapert	Marj Vetter
Dan Smith	Marney Schaffer
Dave Kenner	Mary Margaret Welly
Deb	Mary Ortiz
Deb Rogers	Michael Bell
Donia Anderson	Nick Bostelman
Doug Reinhart	Randy Miller
Ed Breidenbaugh	Ray Schliesser
Rochelle Reinhart	John Handy (3/1)
Erica Reineck	Roseanna Husted
Floyd Esquivel	Sister Alice Schmursal
Frances Brachma	Steve
Gloria Jasso	Holly Niese
Hayden Anderson	Hope Castillo
Henry Miller	Iris Hulkill
Mike Kenner	Neville Holbrook
Martha Arend	Lamberto Castillo

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	Monique Jasso
Sarah Frederick	Paul Vaz de Carvalho
Cole Reeb	

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

\$12,000. Current contribution is \$4020.

➤ **St. Michael Parish is celebrating in this year 2020.**

We are celebrating 140 years since the origin of the Parish and 100 years since the laying of the cornerstone of this building. We're in the beginning stages of planning for things we'll be doing to celebrate throughout the year. Next planning meeting will be **Tuesday, March 31st at 7:30pm** in the JP II Room. **All are welcome!**

➤ **Consider making a donation to our St. Michael ONLINE GIVING.** It's easy! If you need help, we'll be glad to help you get your account set up.

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/St9999438> .

Please keep our Confirmands in your prayers this month as they prepare for their Sunday, March 29th Confirmation:

George Green	Collin Inkrott
Alexandria Kenner	Caleb Laker
Leah Ranger	Brayden Slattery
Jude Smalley	Sierra Watson
Martina Vasquez	

(along with students from St. Mary and St. Joseph)

➤ **Need to visit the Parish Office but have difficulty with stairs?** Please contact us in the office, and we'll be happy to meet with you in the church building. Even private meetings can be arranged, using the elevator and the John Paul II Room. To make arrangements, please call 419-542-8202 or email saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com.

➤ **SAVE THE DATE. . SAVE THE DATE!** The Square Dance season is here & we want you to save the date!

March 21st here at St. Michael's. ***Please spread the word!***

➤ **Right-to-Life Prayer Group** I hear babies crying in the wombs, "Come save me. Come pray for me." Let us all unite in the fight against abortion & contraception & pray the Rosary for the fight against abortion with a few added prayers after the Rosary. Bring any prayers you may want God to hear. We will meet the first Monday of every month at 7:00pm in the Church. Families are welcome: education is a key to prevention. ***God Bless All the Babies!!!***

➤ **We are inviting and urging all to read the Catholic Catechism of the Catholic Church.** The ISBN number for it is 1-57455-110-8. If you cannot afford one and need help or need help with anything you may read, please contact Deacon Joe Timbrook. My email and phone number are on the front of this bulletin.

➤ **Faith on Fire for Two Months in a Row!** St. Michael, Hicksville, will host the Faith on Fire Adoration, Faith Story, and Benediction in both April and May to facilitate a change in the normal schedule. ***Faith on Fire is always at 7pm on the third Thursday of the month*** (unless we have to reschedule for Holy Thursday or something). The new schedule will have Faith on Fire in Hicksville on the odd months and in Edgerton on the even months. ***Please join us for Faith on Fire: --in Hicksville on Thursday, April, 16th, --in Hicksville on Thursday, May 21st, --in Edgerton on Thursday, June 18th.***

➤ **There are a few Diocesan History Books left.** You can pick yours up at the entrances. Inside the beautiful, full-color, hard-back coffee-table quality book is an envelope to return your \$15.

➤ **New Booklets about Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral, Toledo, Ohio,** are in print and available for purchase. Over the past three years two of our tour guides at the Cathedral, Mary Ann Boesel and Carol Schoen, along with Father James E Peiffer have researched and written eight beautiful booklets about the many artistic and inspiring aspects of Rosary Cathedral. Purchase online at: <https://rosarycathedral.weshareonline.org/Booklets> OR

they are available in the gift shop near the parish office (Cathedral) during the week.

➤ **"For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I in the midst of them."** {Mt 18:20} Saint Michael's parishioners - and others - enjoy the opportunity to gather together before the Tabernacle on Mondays at 7pm to pray with & for each other. We will be very informal & welcoming of ANYONE who wishes to gather to petition & praise Our Lord for any reason or no reason at all! We will bring our sorrows & our joys, our pain & our gratitude. No commitment!

NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS

➤ **The Crippled Childrens Association in Hicksville** is here to help local residents of Farmer, Mark, Milford, Hicksville & Hicksville township. The following items are available to borrow **FREE** of Charge: wheelchairs, walkers, rollators, canes, crutches, commodes, bed tables, shower benches & other aids. Other services available dependent on needs. To inquire about borrowing any of the above listed items please call: Frank Hostetler 542-7870, Wilmer Brink 542-6117, Joe Stotler 260-479-7707, Carl Clark 542-8846, Rex Ford 551-1267, Allen Hilbert 542-6373, Bill Elwood 487-0265, Claren Osmun 658-2787, Mike Langham 899-2711, Hal Osmun 542-8654, Nancy Chapman 542-8785, Norman Byers 542-8775, Eric Crall 419 487-0165. Luci Hilbert, Treas. 542-7444 and Betty Pearson, Secy. 542-8552.

➤ **NIGHT OF HEALING**, Worship, Healing, Adoration, Witness, Reconciliation . **Second Tuesdays, March 10. April 14, May 12.** 7PM - 8:30PM , St Jerome Church, 300 Warner St Walbridge, Ohio 43465 Fr, Anthony Coci & Fr Tom Oedy. Group healing and personal prayer teams. For more information call the Ministry to Catholic Charismatic Renewal. 419-691-6686 or visit website www.mccrholyspirit.org.

➤ **36th ANNUAL ST MICHAEL'S RIDGE ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY CRAFT SHOW.** Saturday, March 21, 2020, 9:00am - 3:00pm. K of C Hall, Elliott Rd Defiance OH. Free Admission, lunch stand, sandwiches, soup, pies & desserts. Bake Sale, Raffles. For more information contact, Sandy Wagner, 419-497-4551 or 419-769-7926.

➤ **Chief of Police Todd Shafer will be speaking at St Johns Catholic Church basement at 7 pm after the 6:30 pm Mass March 24th** He is a member of St Marys Catholic Church with wife Shelly and sons Tyler and Brandon. He will be speaking about how his faith plays in his work with law enforcement and helping people. Sponsored by Mother Teresa Respect for life. God Bless You.

➤ **St. Mary School Reverse Raffle ~** will take place Sat., April 4th at St. Michael Catholic Church in Hicksville. **Tickets are now available in the school office**, please stop in to purchase your tickets. ***Thank you for your continued support!***

➤ **Willie Robertson, star of Duck Dynasty, is coming to Fort Wayne!** Dinner with Willie Robertson from Duck Dynasty on **April 8th** at the Grand Wayne Center. Listen as Willie talks about adopting three children & what life is like as a Robertson. \$10 discount for First Responders & Military. Tickets on sale now at SHBB.org.

➤ **I am a FertilityCare Practitioner & Educator in the Fort Wayne-South Bend (FW-SB) diocese.** I am very excited to announce I am ready to launch my 2nd Education Program in the FW-SB Diocese. The host parish this time is St. John the Baptist Fort Wayne, IN. I hope to reach the leaders in your parish or community who might be interested in learning how the Creighton Model FertilityCare System can benefit parishioners and the community at large. **Education Program Dates at Providence Hall:** Education Phase I is June 1-8, 2020 ~ Monday - Monday. Education Phase II is January 11-16, 2021. Monday – Saturday. The Creighton Model System's (CrMS) FertilityCare (FC) Education Program includes several tracks. **FertilityCare Practitioner (FCP)** ~ teaches clients the CrMS in a FertilityCare (FC) setting. The FCP's program is 13-months. Qualifications – the applicant is an L.P.N/RN or has earned a bachelor's degree or higher. **FertilityCare Instructor (FCI)** ~ teaches clients the CrMS under a FCP. The FCI's program is seven-

months. Qualifications – the applicant has less than two years of higher education but can have earned a bachelor's degree or higher. **FertilityCare Promoter** ~ promotes FC in the parish life and/or community. A promoter does not teach clients. Qualifications – The applicant is a supportive

member of the parish life or community and has an apostolic zeal for spreading the message of HV. The applicant may have earned additional training in TOB, Chastity programs, Humanae Vitae (HV), or works with engaged couples for marriage prep, sits on the vocations or prolife committees, is involved with the youth group, or has another related role in the parish life. **Creighton Model Medical Consultant (CrMMC)** ~ focuses on healing patients with a consistent respect for life and stays in line with NaProTECHNOLOGY's protocols and has a good relationship with FCPs in an approved FertilityCare Center. Qualifications ~ The applicant is a Nurse Practitioner, Physician Assistant, Nurse Midwife, Family Practice, OB/GYN, and Pharmacist. A CrMMC's program is six-months. If interested contact Theresa Schortgen, CFCE, CFCE, RN ~ 260.494.6444 ~ theresa.a.schortgencfce@frontier.com for more

information and/or an application. The Creighton Model Education Foundation, Inc offers partial scholarships, so please inquire.

We all participate in the Mass by singing and praying and being a part, but are you hungry for more? Have you ever considered signing up to be Offertory Gift Bearers? You can do it as a family or you can join with others and bring up the gifts together. Contact the Parish Office (419-542-8202 or stmikehi@bright.net or saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com) for more info.

➤ **Follow Bishop Thomas on Facebook** at Bishop Daniel E. Thomas, on Twitter @BishopDEThomas and on Instagram at BishopDEThomas. The Diocese is on Facebook at Diocese of Toledo, on Twitter @DioceseToledo and Instagram at DioceseToledo.

➤ **The Zeli Ministry, Miscarriage Ministry.** Are you grieving from a miscarriage or stillbirth? Are you, or someone you know in need of prayer support, resources or someone to listen who has been there before? We would love to comfort you "comfort you with the comfort we have received," (2 Cor. 1:4) We know this deep pain that many do not understand. We would love to send you a free care package of helpful resources, meaning connections and a special gift in memory of your little one. Email zelieministry@gmail.com or 419-769-4427

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➤ **Diocese of Toledo Safe Environment Program in Full Compliance with USCCB Norms.** Each year, the Diocese of Toledo is required to undergo an audit to ensure that it is in compliance with the articles of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*. Bishop Daniel Thomas is pleased to announce that, for the fiscal year 2018-2019, the Diocese was found to be in full compliance with the requirements in the *Charter*.

The Diocese of Toledo remains committed to ensuring the protection of children and providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric, or any employee or volunteer of the Catholic Church, please report the abuse to your local police department, Child Protection Services,

and Mr. Frank DiLallo, Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator. . Mr. DiLallo can be reached at (419) 214-4880 or by mail at 1933 Spielbusch Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43604.

➤ **VIDEO BROADCAST OF THE BISHOP'S CORNER RADIO SHOW NOW AVAILABLE!**

Annunciation Radio's longest running program, "The Bishop's Corner," now offers a video broadcast of the show via the Diocese of Toledo YouTube page on your computer, tablet or smartphone. The show airs weekly at 8 p.m. Thursday on Annunciation Radio, and an audio podcast is also available at www.annunciationradio.com. Submit your question for Bishop Daniel Thomas to answer on the show by emailing bishop@annunciationradio.com or visiting www.facebook.com/toledobishopscorner.

➤ **Are you searching for a method of family planning** that is effective, healthy, "green", free of synthetic hormones and chemicals, and in line with Catholic teaching? Go to www.live-the-love.org to find out more!

Hicksville Knights of Columbus 2020 Fish Frydays

January 24,

February 7 and 21

March 6 and 20

April 3



Sit down or take out - 4:30 – 7:00



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March 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd

In Church Basement

at St. Michael, Hicksville:

6:30pm Wednesdays

March 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th, April 1st

*In the Office Conference Room,
311 West High Street, Hicksville*

*There is no charge unless you would like to
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The \$19.99 Student Pack includes:

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*Contact Deacon Rod Conkle 419-542-6473
or rodconkle@live.com*



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7 till 10

Saturdays
Feb. 15
Mar. 21

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*****Public Invited*****

Caller for the Night: Doug Michaelis from
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\$5/person \$10/couple \$15/family
With minor children



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