



St. Michael Catholic Church

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

Facebook Page: **St. Michael Catholic Church-Hicksville** YouTube Channel: **St. Michael Hicksville**

October 16, 2022

Office Hours:

9:30-12 noon, Wed & Fri

Parish Office/House - 419-542-8202

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St. Michael's Mass Times:

Sunday	10:30am
Saturday	4:00pm (Odd)
Wednesday	8:30am
Friday	8:30am

St. Mary's Mass Times :

Sunday	8:30am
Saturday	4:00pm (Even)
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.

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Liturgies & Calendar

29th Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 16, 2022

E B	Sat	Oct 15	4:00pm 6:00pm	Dean & Norma Seevers Fred Thiel
E H	Sun	Oct 16	8:30am 10:30am	Ubaldo & Frances Dietsch Randy Sweet
B	Mon	Oct 17	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	Oct 18	6:00pm	** Paul & Dolores Cape Family
H	Wed	Oct 19	8:30am	Betty & Phillip Meyer
E	Thurs	Oct 20	8:30am	Dorothy Bigger
H	Fri	Oct 21	8:30am	Joyce Thompson
E B	Sat	Oct 22	4:00pm 6:00pm	Conrad & Grace Cape Chris Cook
E H	Sun	Oct 23	8:30am 10:30am	** John & Florence Thiel Family Lowell & Jeanne Wonderly * 50 th Anniversary and Ralph & Carol Art * 60 th Anniversary

H = Hicksville; E = Edgerton; B = Blakeslee

**Prayers for the living

INCOME:

Sunday (mailed and Online)	\$ 3,051.36
Building & Maint. Fund	\$ 50.00
Candles	\$ 7.00
Restroom Reno	\$ 85.00
Parish Assistance	\$ 50.00
Baptism Stipend	\$ 20.00
Directory Donation	\$ 20.00

**Thank you to those who are mailing in their donations
and/or using ONLINE GIVING. Please consider making a
donation to our St. Michael ONLINE GIVING. It's easy! If**

Ministries Schedule for Sunday, October 23, 2022 @ 10:30am

Servers: Dale Gallup, Caleb Laker

Ushers: Russ & Paul Pierce

Lector: Dale Gallup

Offertory: Marlin & Tasha Eicher

Extraordinary Ministers: Bob & Polly Meyer, Brian
Amstutz, Steph Mazur

Greeters: Brenda Greer Family

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

OCTOBER MONEY COUNTERS:

Joan Linder, Shelia Bassett

Diane Collins, Roseanne Meyer

OCTOBER MONEY COLLECTORS:

Sundays ~ Cody Sanders

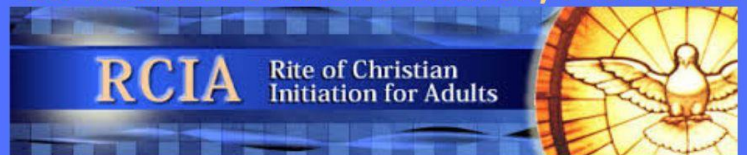
you need help, we'll be glad to help you get your account set
up. <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/St9999438>.

****We will be livestreaming Mass from our
Facebook Page and up on YouTube**

Weekly Calendar – Oct 16, 2022 – Oct 23, 2022

SUN	Oct	16	10:30am	Sunday Mass
			12:15pm	Franciscan Formation #4
			1:30pm	Franciscan Frat Mtg
MON	Oct	17	7:00pm	Prayer Group before the Tabernacle
WED	Oct	19	8:30am	Mass
			6:00pm	CCD Classes
THUR	Oct	20	8:00am	Adoration
			7:00pm	Holy Hour
FRI	Oct	21	8:30am	Mass
SUN	Oct	23	10:30am	World Mission Sunday Mass

St. Michael Catholic Church, Hicksville



**RCIA Classes will begin soon. Class days
and times will be determined by
everyone's availability. If you or someone
you know is interested in learning about
the Catholic Faith and possibly joining the
Church, please contact the office,
419-542-8202
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**In conjunction with the
Living Christ
Campaign,
we're doing a
Pilgrimage to
Rosary Cathedral,
Toledo.**

This is OUR CATHEDRAL!

**Whether you donated to the Living Christ Campaign or
not, please join us! Part of the monies collected in the
Campaign goes for the maintenance and upkeep of OUR
CATHEDRAL.**

**Join us on:
Sat., Oct. 29, 2022,
Leaving from Church at
1:30pm
Tour of the Cathedral
3:15pm
Confessions, 4:00pm
Saturday Mass, 5:00pm
Dinner out**

**Contact Susie
Smalley or Dale
Gallup
if interested.

If there's enough
interest, we may plan
another pilgrimage on a
weekday.**

➤ **Community Meal Delivery**--Are you a St. Michael parishioner who would like to have a meal delivered to your home on the 2nd Thursday of each month? There is no charge; simply say a prayer for those who are homeless, hungry, shut-in, or need someone to talk to. **Call the office at 419-542-8202 or Dale Gallup at 419-670-5035 to sign up for monthly meals.**

➤ **Come & visit Jesus**—The Diocese has suggested that we keep the church open at certain times for people to come in & sit with Jesus. Adoration Thurs 8a m-7pm.



**Please call the
office with any
questions!**

**We have reserved St. Michael's gym,
Monday, Wednesday, & Fridays for the
playing of Pickle Ball. We play from
10am - 12 noon, Please consider making up
another team if you're interested in
playing, Our current team of 8 please have
been meeting for 2 years & we would love
to see more people participating!**

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

**Aiden Slattery
Alvin Chapman
Ann
Austin Ortiz
Alice Vetter
Anita Siebenaler
Beth Reinhart
Betty Doeden
Bill Welly
Bob Breidenbaugh
Brian Amstutz
Carl Sabo
Carmen Lanum
Cheryl Doty
Cody Davis
Corey Schapert
Cory Lemley
Deb Rogers
Deb Guilford
Donia Anderson
Ed Breidenbaugh
Erica Reineck
Floyd Esquivel
Frances Brachma
Nancy Chapman
Fr. Fred Duschl
Gloria Jasso
Hayden Anderson
Hope Castillo
MaryAnn Henrich
Iris Hulkill
Jason Wermer
Jill Nussel**

**Jim Reinhart
Jim Siler
John Kromer, Jr.
Joshua Zollinger
Joyce Yoder
Julie Havenstein
Koralyn Tuomi
Lamberto Castillo
Larry Adams
Leah Meyer
Lindsay Starbuck
Lindsey Thiel
Lynne
Marj Vetter
Marney Schaffer
Martha Arend
Martha Sweet
Marybelle Timbrook
Mary Margaret Welly
Mary Ortiz
Michael Bell
Mike Kenner
Neville Holbrook
Randy Miller
Ray Schliesser
Rochelle Reinhart**

**Rusty Campbell
Santo Brothers
Sandy Chapman
Sister Alice Schmersal
Stacy Bartley
Wilfred Osborn 9/27**

**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
Sarah Frederick
Cole Reeb**

**Monique Jasso
Paul Vaz de Carvalho**

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

➤ **St. Michael's Library**~ includes many superior resources that can strengthen your faith journey! Please feel free to explore the titles at the bottom of the stairs at the south entrance of the church.

A Family Perspective ~ October 16th ~ The 29th Sunday in

Ordinary Time -- The widow in today's gospel is praised for her **PERSEVERANCE**. In our homes perseverance is a critical ingredient to resolving differences and teaching lessons and skills to children. Perseverance is always an act of faith in the goodness of the other person.

NEWS FROM ST MICHAEL

➤ **The Internal Audit Review** for the last fiscal year (July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022) was completed on Friday, September 30, 2022. The findings and recommendations are as follows: < Complete a parish handbook of procedures and policies; < Audit committee to continue performing audits in early fall to correspond with the fiscal period. **Summary:** All financial records were reviewed and found to be in order. Gabriel Inkrott, Carolyn Gallup, Deb Thiel, Leesa Battershell & Linda Thiel.

➤ **Have you read Life is Messy by Matthew Kelly?** You can certainly keep it on your shelf with your other books, or, may we suggest... with this and any other Catholic books...
1. Give them to family members or a friend to read.
2. Repurpose by bringing it back to St. Michael in Hicksville for redistribution. Before returning your copy, now is a great time to finish reading the book!

➤ **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

***Jeremiah 1:5: Before I formed you
in the womb, I knew you....***

Thank you to everyone who is praying, marching, and working to protect life from conception to natural death. Thanks to the Rosary Altar Society and the Knights of Columbus and Father Dan for your help with our projects during this Respect for Life month.
God Bless You All.

6:30pm in the Church. Families are welcome: education is a key to prevention.

➤ **Do you
want to enrich
your Christian
walk with Jesus
and enlighten
your relationship
with God?** Come

join us **every
Thursday
evening at
7:00pm** for Holy hour with Exposition, Adoration, Benediction, he Holy Rosary, and Benediction. This hour is dedicated to honor the true presence of Jesus Christ. If you cannot make it in person, you may view it on livestream. This

would be a great way to ready yourselves for the coming of the Lord.

➤ **CHILDRENS LANTERN** - please join us to listen to Steve Heilsbien who is executive director of *Childrens Lantern* speak about *Childrens Lantern* where they support families and strengthen the vulnerable. They believe God has given them a ministry to help those in foster care, adoption and aged foster youth. Steve will speak at **7 pm after the 6:30pm Mass at St John's October 25th**. Thank You God Bless You!

➤ **Oct. 11, 18 - Tuesdays, (10am-11am) Meaning:
Exploring the Big Questions with a Vatican Scientist
via Zoom.** Join us in examining vital questions about the universe! This is Part II of a DVD study with lectures by the Director of the Vatican Observatory Dr. Guy Consolmagno, S.J., Ph.D. **To register contact Jenifer at 419-443-1485 or peace@franciscanretreats.org.** New participants welcome!

~~ DAILY READINGS ~~

MON, OCT 17, 2022:

EPH 2:1-10
LK 12:13-21

TUES, OCT 18, 2022:

2 Tm 4:10-17b
Lk 10:1-9

WED, OCT 19, 2022:

EPH 3:2-12
LK 12:39-48

THURS, OCT 20, 2022:

EPH 3:14-21
LK 12:49-53

FRI, OCT 21, 2022:

Eph 4:1-6
LK 12:54-59

SAT, OCT 22, 2022:

EPH 4:7-16
LK 13:1-9

SUN, OCT 23, 2022:

Sir 35:12-14, 16-18
2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18
Lk 18:9-14

Can you come and spend an hour with me?

St. Isidore The Bend

The following Holy Hour(s) and sub requests are still pending for this week:

You can see who else is scheduled at that time by clicking the date of the shift. To see your list of scheduled times, go to, into your web terminal at:

https://secure.rotundasoftw.com/29/vsp/web-terminal/home?user=Adoration_Chapel_St_I



St. Mary Edgerton

Third Thursday after Mass
8:30 am - 6:00p pm

St. Michael Hicksville

Adoration - Thursdays
8:00am - 7:00pm

Philippians 2:10 - That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth;

We have two more Sunshine Boxes added for Martha Sweet and Hankee Slattery. There will also be box for Alice Vetter, for a card shower. at the Entrance of the church!!



Two Sunshine Boxes will be at the south entrance of the church.

Please put "pick me up" items in them for two ladies! Anything that would brighten their days!

➤ **Fall is here!** It's a beautiful season full of color and crisp fresh air. **A Worldwide Marriage Encounter** is like autumn because it's full of fresh air, new beginnings and a time to rejoice in the beauty of your marriage and family. It's a great time to rekindle communication and enjoy time away. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend experiences are **October 14-16** at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Cincinnati, OH and **November 4-6** at Maria Stein Renewal Center in Maria Stein, OH. The weekend

Help Support Our Diocesan Priests' Retirement!

Your gift to the Perpetuate The Gift appeal supports our retired diocesan priests, enabling them to pay for their living expenses, such as medical, housing, car, clothing, and food.

Our priests have given their lives in service to us and our parish, and we are most grateful! Please offer your gratitude for those who faithfully served the Diocese of Toledo today!

All funds contributed between September 17 through December 31, 2022, assist our parish in fulfilling its assessed contribution to the fund. A gift of cash or check can be sent to Perpetuate The Gift, PO Box 954, Toledo, OH 43697, or placed in the parish collection.

A gift may also be made online at www.toledodiocese.org under the Give tab. You can also make a gift on your handheld device by holding the camera up to the QR code above. Our parish and our retired priests are so very grateful for your support!



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419-670-3743 Tom Battershell
419-487-1166 Bruce Guilford
419-542-8648 Robert Breisinger
419-542-7870 Frank Hostetler
419-542-8785 Nancy Chapman
419-542-8846 Carl Clark

419-487-0265 Bill Elwood
419-658-2787 Claren Osmun
260-479-7707 Joe Stotler
419-899-2711 Mike Langham
260-452-9231 John Gordon
419-542-7444 Lucie Hilbert
419-551-1267 Rex Ford

Jill McCormack, Secretary, 419-769-5561

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experience is for those who wish to enrich their marriage and get that newlywed feeling. Apply today at <https://esharing.org/applyWeekend.php>. For more questions or more details contact: Andy and Melanie Reinersman at 859- 653-

8464, application@esharing.org or visit esharing.org

➤ **Shop local at SpiritSpace Gallery and Gifts** located inside St. Francis Spirituality Center, 200 St. Francis Ave. in Tiffin. SpiritSpace has "gifts that enhance the spiritual dimensions of life," including a wide variety of fair trade products, books, and locally made pottery and handcrafted wooden gifts. The gift shop is open regularly on Saturdays (10:00am-2:00pm) from Oct. 1 – Dec. 17 and at other times by appointment. *On Nov. 12th you can shop SpiritSpace at the Holiday Extravaganza at Calvert (SpiritSpace will be closed that day).*

The Christ Cupboard Ministry (CCM) is attempting to reorganize the Board since meetings had slacked off during COVID

They are asking for a representative from our church to attend board meetings that would normally be held quarterly or less often. Please call the office if you are interested in being on the CCM Board.

If you are not familiar with CCM, it is a joint ministry of approximately nine churches in the community, several businesses and individuals. CCM will be moving from their current location to the downtown building previously known as Yoder's Restaurant by the end of the year. They serve the people in the western half of Defiance County in the following townships: Hicksville, Farmer, Mark and Milford. CCM has been sharing some of their products with Saint Michael Parish for the community meals.

Saint Michael Parish has been asked to donate oatmeal, pancake mix and syrup again this year. You may put your donations in the baskets/boxes placed at the entrances of the church. Thank you for your help and prayers with this ministry.

Minutes – St. Michael Pastoral Council

The Pastoral Council met on Thursday, September 22, 2022, at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting was opened with prayer. The new members were welcomed.

Present were: Father Dan Borgelt, Cody Sanders, Diane Collins, Josh Vowles, Judy McCaila, and Janet Langham. Absent were members: Ted Laker, Vicki Art, Jim Siler, and Bob Crites.

Election of Officers – Chairperson Cody Sanders; Vice Chairperson Vicki Art; and Secretary Diane Collins were approved.

Review Pastoral Council By-Laws/Charter – These items were passed out for review.

Minutes from the Last Meeting -

Finance – An updated finance report was shared.

Liturgy and Music – Planning for Holy Days. There is a special mass planned for September 29, the feast day of Saint Michael. Refreshments will be served following Mass.

K of C – They have a steak fry planned in the near future for the Fourth Degree Knights. The K of C is sharing in the cost of a Right to Life sign that will be placed in the front yard. The Knights are supporting "Walking with Moms in Need".

Altar Rosary Society – The women's group met in September with 15 members present and four guests. The speaker was Kevin Jorrey. Kevin is the Director of the Office for Life and Justice at Diocese of Toledo. He introduced the group to "Walking with Moms in Need". It appears we are one of only four parishes in the Diocese that have introduced "Walking with Moms in Need". He explained the necessary steps to get the program up and going.

ARS and Knight Ed Mendez agreed to pay for a Right to Life sign that Judy McCaila wants to put in front of the church.

CCD – Kayla Vetter is the new CCD Coordinator. CCD will be held on Wednesdays 6 p.m. – 7:15 p.m. It was noted that it would be nice to get the children more involved in Mass.

RCIA – We are not aware of any interest at this time.

Old Business:

Restroom renovation plans were sent to the building commission at the Diocese to be reviewed. Further details may be necessary. Architect John Police was working on these per the May, 2022, meeting report. State approval will be needed after the Diocese approves them.

Russ plans to go forward with the sidewalk repairs, and curb placement to close the alley as far as we know.

CHRP 2.0 / welcome: continues to be on hold. Deacon Rod Conkle suggested we start with a reunion-type event.

FORMED – on-line faith formation resource

Parish Mission/Vision – Andrew Reinhart - The first draft was passed out for review. It still needs finalized.

New Business:

Father received four quotes for a new sound system for the church. He has asked the advice of a parishioner to review the different brands of equipment. Josh and Cody have offered to assist in the project.

Saint Michael Parish met its goal for the Living Christ Endowment and Capital Campaign.

Christ Cupboard has asked for a representative from Saint Michael Parish to sit on its Board. We do not remember who previously sat on the Board. We are hoping a parishioner will volunteer for this position. Please contact the office if you are interested in representing St. Michael.

For the Good of the Cause:

The Parish Directories have been received and distributed.

The group agrees that it is time to plan a social event. Ideas included: Trunk or Treating, cornhole tournament, reverse raffle or a square dance. We are open to other ideas also.

The next meeting is scheduled for November 17, 2022.

The meeting ended with prayer at 9:45 p.m.