



St. Michael Catholic Church

100 Antwerp Drive,

Hicksville, OH 43526

Mailing/Billing Address:

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419-542-8202

[*saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com*](mailto:saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com)

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

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

December 11, 2022

Office Hours:

9:30-12 noon, Wed & Fri

Parish Office/House - 419-542-8202

Office Fax - 419-542-9513

Church/Hall - 419-542-8714

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)
Tuesday	6:00pm
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.

Church Directory:

Reverend Daniel E. Borgelt

Edgerton Office

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260-466-9741

deacon_joe@hotmail.com

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419-670-1855

ydnimt822@gmail.com

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419-542-8202

Pastoral Council Pres/Cody Sanders

419-487-4280

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260-908-3177

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Custodian/ Bob Meyer

419-487-1179

CCD Coordinator: Kayla Vetter

419-518-0201

Bulletin Editor/ Mary Wermer

419-769-6750

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419-487-1297

Knights of Columbus Grand Knight / Ed Mendez

419-309-6518

Music Director / Joy Martin

419-438-2516

Liturgies & Calendar



Third Sunday of Advent

December 11, 2022

E B	Sat	Dec 10	4:00pm 6:00pm	Maxine Sanders Roy Held
E H	Sun	Dec 11	8:30am 10:30am	Jason Bonnell ** People of the Parish
B	Mon	Dec 12	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	Dec 13	6:00pm	NO MASS
H	Wed	Dec 14	8:30am	Living & Deceased Members of the Kennerk & Boecker Families
E	Thurs	Dec 15	8:30am	Grace Cape
H	Fri	Dec 16	8:30am	Robert Arend
E B	Sat	Dec 17	4:00pm 6:00pm	Sharon Shaffer ** The Parish
E H	Sun	Dec 18	8:30am 10:30am	Tom Wickerham Betty & Phillip Meyer

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

INCOME:

Sunday (mailed and Online)	\$ 2,797.91
Immaculate Conception	\$ 30.00
Christmas	\$ 2,010.00
Candles	\$ 12.00
Building & Maintenance	\$ 140.00
Retired Religious	\$ 50.00
Restroom Reno	\$ 615.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$ 50.00

Ministries Schedule for Sunday, December 18, 2022 @ 10:30am

Servers: Audrey & Tasha Crites

Ushers: Russ & Paul Pierce

Lector: Steph Mazur

Offertory: Roseann Meyer

Extraordinary Ministers: Dale & Carolyn Gallup,
Bob & Tabitha Crites

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**

DECEMBER MONEY COUNTERS:

Carolyn Gallup, Carol Art
Melissa Sanders

DECEMBER MONEY COLLECTORS:

Sundays ~ Judy McCalla/Nancy

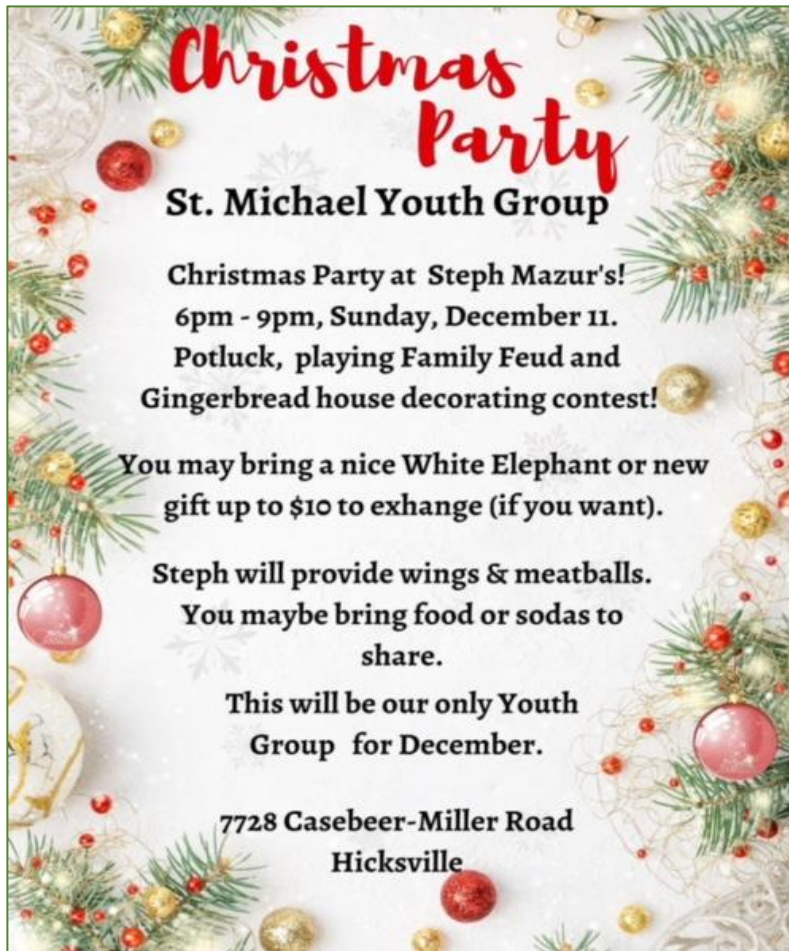
**Thank you to those who are mailing in their donations
and/or using ONLINE GIVING. Please consider making a
donation to our St. Michael ONLINE GIVING. It's easy! If
you need help, we'll be glad to help you get your account set
up. <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/St9999438>.**

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

Weekly Calendar – Dec 11, 2022 – Dec 18, 2022

SUN	Dec 11	10:30am	Mass
		12:15pm	Franciscan Formation #6
		1:00pm	Franciscan Christmas Potluck
		6:00pm	Youth Group Christmas Party at Steph's
MON	Dec 12	10am-12pm	Pickle Ball
		6:00pm	Altar Rosary Society Mtg
		7:00pm	Prayer Group before the Tabernacle
TUES	Dec 13	5:30pm	Spaghetti Dinner for Concert Goers
		7:00pm	Comfort & Joy Concert
WED	Dec 14	8:30am	Mass
		10am-12pm	Pickle Ball
		6:00pm	CCD Classes
THUR	Dec 15	8:00am	Adoration
		7:00pm	Holy Hour
FRI	Dec 16	8:30am	Mass
		10am-12pm	Pickle Ball
SUN	Dec 18	10:30am	Mass

**A Family Perspective ~ December 11th ~ The Third Sunday of
Advent --** The question put to Jesus in today's gospel is also
put to us today: ***"Are you the one?"*** Are you the one who
will give guidance to the children in your life or must they
look to TV sitcoms, films, videos and music lyrics for
direction? **Are you the one? Will you be the one?**



➤ **Eternal Rest Grant Unto Carmen Lanum, O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon her.** May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Prayers and sympathies to her family.

➤ **Fellow Christians** -Free Soup and sandwiches after mass will begin January 14 and 15. **Saint Michael parishioners would like to graciously invite all the new people attending mass.** Thank you for your continued help with meals, funerals, food, labor & dessert donations when the need arises. We love it when you volunteer. It may seem like a little thing to you but it is a BIG thing to those



PARISH ADVENT
RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Sunday, December 11, 2pm St. Mary, Edgerton

Therefore, Advent is, so to speak, an intense training that directs us decisively toward him who already came, who will come, and who comes continuously." – St. John Paul II
"It is Christmas every time you let God love others through you."

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

Nov 17th

**Alvin Chapman
Sandy Chapman**

Nov 22nd

Martha Sweet

**Nancy Chapman
Jason Wermer**

If you would like a loved one added to this list, a family member must contact the office (419-542-8202) or you may contact Mary directly at 419-769-6750 or jimmec2007@yahoo.com.

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

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

who need help. We have a nice collection of YOUR glass, metal & tin casserole pans in the church basement. Yes, we saved the tin pans if they cleaned up easily so they could be reused. If you anticipate needing a tin pan in the future, help yourself. If you have an idea for a Thursday community meal & desire to cook it, please call Alice Breidenbaugh. All the necessary helpers will be provided to you.

➤ **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 - 419-670-5035 to sign up.**

➤ **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** – RCIA classes are available for sign up now. If you know of someone who is interested in learning about the Catholic Faith & possibly joining the Church, please contact the office 419-542-8202.

Altar Rosary Society will meet for a potluck dinner on Monday, December 12 at 6 p.m.

✦ The famous and much enjoyed Quarter Bingo will be held. Bring your quarters to win some fabulous prizes.

Everyone is welcome!



Merry Christmas



Angel Tree Memorial Ornaments

are available to purchase again this year. These treasures are a great way to honor a loved one who has passed away! All of these ornaments will be placed on the Angel Tree to be admired by all.

They are available at the south church entrance for \$3.00. They may then be taken home at the end of the Christmas Season.

All proceeds to the St. Michael Youth Group.

Days of Grace

There will be a "Day of Grace" at each church. On these days Father will be available for individual confession at the designated times.



Monday, December 12, 2022 - St. Joseph, Blakeslee
10 am, noon, 2 pm & 5 pm

Thursday, December 15, 2022 - St. Mary, Edgerton
10 am, noon, 2 pm, 4 pm & 6 pm

Wednesday, December 21, 2022 - St. Michael, Hicksville
10 am, noon, 2 pm, 4 pm & 6 pm

Christmas Masses

Join us and celebrate the coming of Christmas

Saturday, December 24, 4pm, St. Joseph, Blakeslee
Saturday, December 24, 4pm, St. Michael, Hicksville
Saturday, December 24, 6pm, St. Mary, Edgerton
Saturday, December 24, 10pm, St. Mary, Edgerton
Sunday, December 25, 9am, St. Michael, Hicksville



ATTN: ST. MICHAEL PARISH FAMILY!

Soup Sandwich

We will be starting up our soup & sandwich meals again after the 1st of the year. We are in need of families to host the months of March & April.

March, Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th
April

Please contact Diane Collins
419-487-1297

If you are able to help!

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!



Your 2023 Contribution envelopes are in the narthax waiting for pick up! If you do not see one with your name on it, contact the office.

New Offering Envelopes

Merry Christmas

AND
A HAPPY NEW YEAR

COMFORT & JOY

ADVENT CONCERT

TUESDAY, DEC. 13, 2022, 7 PM
ST. MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
HICKSVILLE, OH



Steve
Angrisano



[https://bit.ly/
st-michaels-advent](https://bit.ly/st-michaels-advent)



Sarah Hart

~~ DAILY READINGS ~~

MON, DEC 12, 2022:

ZEC 2:14-17
LK 1:26-38

TUES, DEC 13, 2022:

ZEP 3:1-2, 9-13
MT 21:28-32

WED, DEC 14, 2022:

IS 45:6C-8, 18, 21C-25
LK 7:18B-23

THURS, DEC 15, 2022:

Is 54:1-10
Lk 7:24-30

FRI, DEC 16, 2022:

Is 56:1-3a, 6-8
Jn 5:33-36

SAT, DEC 17, 2022:

Gn 49:2, 8-10
Mt 1:1-17

SUN, DEC 18, 2022:

Is 7:10-14
Rom 1:1-7
Mt 1:18-24

St. Michael's Catholic Church in Hicksville, OH is hosting a concert
with

Sarah Hart and Steve Angrisano,
two Catholic composers and artists.

The concert will be held **December 13, 2022 at 7 p.m.**

**The Altar Rosary Society will be serving a spaghetti and salad meal
before the concert, serving begins at 5:30 p.m.**
in the Church Basement/Gym.

Tickets and registration for the concert are available on Eventbrite:

<https://bit.ly/st-michaels-advent>

or scan the QR code on the photo.

***Don't miss an opportunity for a beautiful evening of music and
prayer this Advent!***



HELP NEEDED FOR CONCERT SPAGHETTI DINNER

St Michael's will host a spaghetti dinner for those
attending the Dec. 13th concert. We need kitchen
crew, desserts, set-up and clean up helpers. To
volunteer, sign up on the list provided at the main
entrance OR call
Janice 260-705-1914

➤ **St. Michael's Library**~ includes many superi or
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.

➤ **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.

after the Rosary. Bring any prayers you may want God to
hear. We meet the 1st Monday of every month at 6:30pm.
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, the Holy Rosary,
& 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 is a great way to
ready yourselves for the coming of the Lord.

NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS

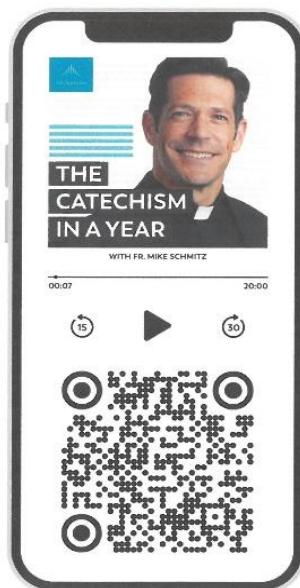
➤ **Pianist, Organist, or Guitarist Needed** ~ St.
Caspar Parish in Wauseon, Ohio, is looking to hire a
pianist, organist, or guitarist, to play for five to six
weekend Masses monthly. The successful candidate
must have proficient skills to accompany congregational
singing, and in reading music. This person would meet
one-half hour before Mass to practice with the cantor.
The hymn selections are provided in advance. For a
full job description, contact the parish office. Questions
may be directed to Sue Dieringer, organist, phone or
text 419-335-1601, email bnsdier@gmail.com, or
Kasey Sekula in the parish office, phone 419-337-2322,
or email ksekula@stcaspar.org

➤ **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 fairtrade products, books & locally made pottery & 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).*

➤ **St. Francis Spirituality Center's 2023 "Christmas 365 Raffle" tickets are now available.** Support the work of healing, reconciliation, and renewal while participating in a fun raffle fundraiser with cash prizes! Purchase a ticket to be entered into the raffle for a chance to win cash prizes valued between \$200-\$500! A winner's name will be drawn on the 25th day of each month during 2023 beginning January 25th. There will be two \$500 drawings on Dec. 25th. Tickets are \$10 each or 6 for \$50 and will be on sale from Oct. 1, 2023 - Sept. 1, 2023. Buy online and be eligible for bonus entries. Tickets will be sold online at www.franciscanretreats.org and at other community events. All proceeds will be used for programming at St. Francis Spirituality Center . . . an oasis o f Healing, Reconciliation, and Renewal. **For questions, call 419-443-1485.**

Understand Your Catholic Faith with *The Catechism in a Year* Podcast with Fr. Mike Schmitz!

Starting January 1, 2023



By listening to this podcast, Catholics will:

- Read the entire *Catechism of the Catholic Church* in 365 days
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- Transform their relationship with the Church that Christ founded

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Diocese
of Toledo

Announcing the
"What does the
Eucharist mean
to me?" Contest

As part of the National Eucharistic Revival's Diocesan Year, the Diocese of Toledo is sponsoring a contest for young people. Any parishioner or Catholic school student in Kindergarten through Grade 12 is invited to reflect on the question: What does the Eucharist mean to me?

There will be four divisions: primary (grades K-2), elementary (grades 3-5), middle school (grades 6-8), and high school (grades 9-12). Participants may either write an essay of up to 1,000 words or create a piece of art, music, video, poem, or photograph.

The contest begins now through the end of January. Prizes will be awarded in each division, and grand prize winners will be invited for a tour of Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral and pizza party with Bishop Thomas.

For more information and to submit entries, please visit:
toledodiocese.org/eucharist



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Other Aids

To inquire about borrowing the above items or
other services, please call, 419-542-9926, or

419-670-5980 Hal Osmun
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

419-980-2410 Bill Elwood
419-658-2787 Claren Osmun
260-479-7707 Joe Stotler
260-452-9231 John Gordon
419-542-7444 Lucie Hilbert
419-551-1267 Rex Ford
419-487-0163 Eric Crall

Jill McCormack, Secretary, 419-769-5561

Donations can be mailed to: CCAS, Inc. PO Box 154, Hicksville, Ohio 43526

DAILY PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS

SIGN UP FOR THE DAILY EMAIL!
INCLUDED IS THE MASS, DAILY
DEVOTIONS, THE DAILY SCRIPTURES,
ONE BREAD, ONE BODY, AND MORE.

EMAIL
SAINTMICHAELHICKSVILLE@GMAIL.COM

Updated Weather Information

Adoration will NOT be delayed or canceled unless icy, as the fog usually lifts by late morning.

In case of bad ice & snow we will listen to school closings and decided if we cancel.

St, Michael Catholic Church, Hicksville

Prayer to the Virgin Mary

O Mary, Mother of Jesus and Mother of us all, we turn to you today as the one who said "**Yes**" to Life. "**You will conceive and bear a Son,**" the angel told you. Despite the surprise and the uncertainty about how this could be, you said yes. "**Be it done unto me according to your word.**"

Mary, we pray today for all mothers who are afraid to be mothers. We pray for those who feel threatened & overwhelmed by their pregnancy. Intercede for them, that God may give them the grace to say yes & the courage to go on. May they have the grace to reject the false solution of abortion. May they say with you, "**Be it done unto me according to your word.**" May they experience the help of Christian people & know the peace that comes from doing God's will. Amen

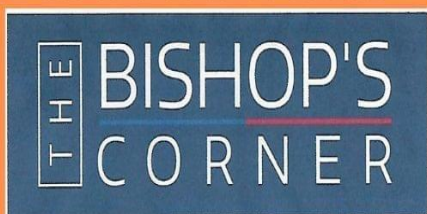
-Father Frank Pavone, priestsforlife.org

-For help with an unplanned pregnancy or healing after abortion, call Women's Health Resource

1-800-633-3339 anytime

-for help with babies' needs or supplies call "**Walking with MOM'S in Need**" 1-419-542-8202

Do you watch or listen to The Bishop's Corner? Don't miss the weekly show where Bishop Daniel E. Thomas answers questions from the Faithful, gives a gospel reflection, and talks about the upcoming events on his calendar and around the diocese.



Holy Family Radio, Thursdays at 3:30pm
94.9FM Ada/Lima, 88.9FM Glandorf/Leipsic, 88.7FM Findlay

Watch: [youtube.com/ToledoDiocese](https://www.youtube.com/ToledoDiocese) or
[facebook.com/bishopdethomas](https://www.facebook.com/bishopdethomas)

Send in your Questions on the Catholic faith, diocesan news and events, or anything you'd like to ask Bishop Thomas. Visit annunciationradio.com/bishops-corner.html or email bishop@annunciationradio.com.

Listen:

Annunciation Radio,
Thursdays at 4:30pm
89.7FM Toledo/Bowling
Green, 88.1FM
Sandusky/Port Clinton,
89.9FM Bryan, 89.5FM
Mansfield, 90.9FM
Willard

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:



St. Mary Edgerton

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

St. Michael Hicksville

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

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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;



Night of Healing

WORSHIP

WORD

HEALING

TUESDAY

DEC. 13 *NEW DATE*

7:00 - 8:30 pm

St. Isidore, Marysdale

6324 OH-15, Defiance, OH 43512

Fr. Melwin Dzousa
Fr. James Brown
Fr. Kevin Moebius

TUESDAY

JAN. 10

7:00 - 8:30 pm

St. Patrick of Heatherdowns

4201 Heatherdowns Blvd, Toledo, OH 43614

Fr. Mark Davis
Fr. James Brown

WEDNESDAY

FEB. 15

NOTE TIME: 6:30 - 8:00 pm

St. Mary, Bluffton

160 N Spring St, Bluffton, OH 45817

Fr. Luyen Dau
Fr. James Brown

TUESDAY

MAR. 14

7:00 - 8:30 pm

St. Louis, Custar

22792 Defiance Pike, Custar, OH 43511

Fr. Walter Tuscano
Fr. James Brown

ADORATION WITNESS RECONCILIATION

Group healing and personal prayer teams

For more info call the Ministry to Catholic Charismatic Renewal 734-888-8197 or visit website: www.mccrholyspirit.org

St. Isidore Adoration Chapel

The Adoration Chapel Schedule
for the
upcoming Christmas New Years
Day holiday schedule:

There will not be Adoration after
Thursday, 12/15 at 11 pm until
Monday, 1/3 at 6 pm.

There will be no scheduled Adoration in
the Chapel the the weeks of the
holidays. Have blessed Christmas and
New Years holidays!



St. Michael Catholic Church, Hicksville

Set aside February 11 for a
dance at Church!

Tony Nieuwlandt's
family's band,
"The Fansler
Band", is playing.



It will be from 7 - 11pm.
Please encourage people
to let their friends know
the date! Plan to bring a
group!