



St. Michael Catholic Church

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Hicksville, OH 43526

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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**

January 1, 2023

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:

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Custodian/ Bob Meyer

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419-487-1297

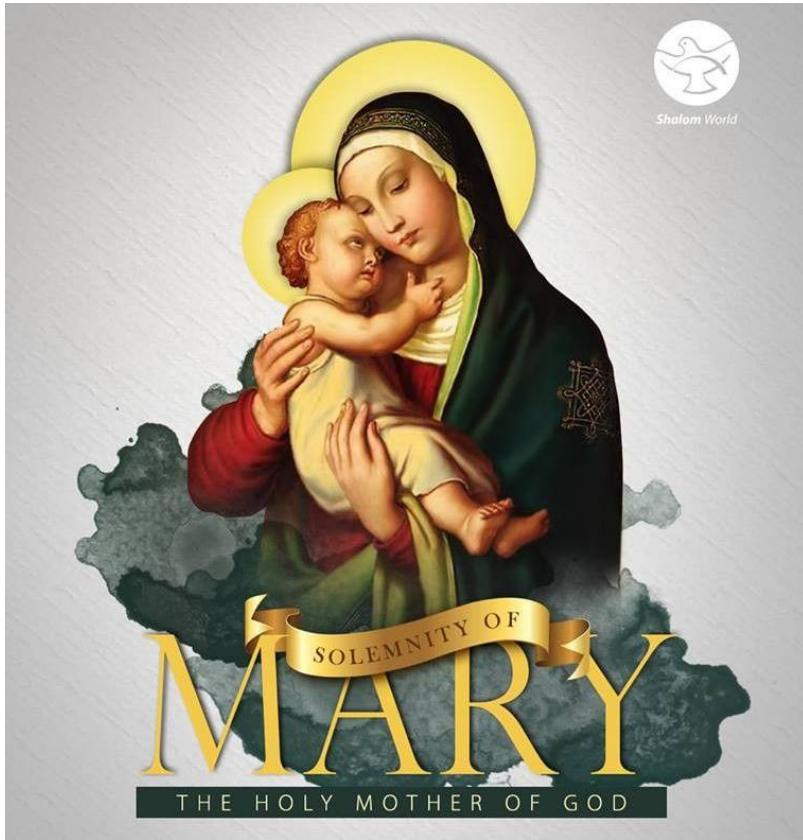
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight / Ed Mendez

419-309-6518

Music Director / Joy Martin

419-438-2516

Liturgies & Calendar



January 1, 2023

Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God

E B	Sat	Dec 31	4:00pm 6:00pm	Bob and Mary Denney Marlin & Karol Livensparger – 65th Anniversary
E H	Sun	Jan 1	8:30am 10:30am	** Stark - Mesnard Family ** <i>People of The Parish</i>
B	Mon	Jan 2	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	Jan 3	6:00pm	NO MASS
H	Wed	Jan 4	8:30am	<i>Dan Smith</i>
E	Thurs	Jan 5	8:30am	Kent Walker
H	Fri	Jan 6	8:30am	<i>Mindy Smalley</i>
H B	Sat	Jan 7	4:00pm 6:00pm	<i>Mark Skinner and Melissa Skinner Laverne Wirth</i>
E H	Sun	Jan 8	8:30am 10:30am	Ellen Herman <i>Living & Deceased Members of the Kennerk & Boecker Families</i>

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

Ministries Schedule for Saturday, January 7, 2023 @ 4:00pm

Servers: Ben & Clara Harris
Ushers: Mike Firestine, Leif Kurtz
Lector: Duane Bassett
Offertory: Drew & Jackie Taylor
Ordinary Minister: Deacon John Kromer
Extraordinary Ministers: Dan Vetter, Deb Harris, Mary Slattery
Greeter: Kim White

Ministries Schedule for Sunday, January 8, 2023 @ 10:30am

Servers: Tasha Crites, Luke Eicher
Ushers: Russ & Paul Pierce
Lector: Beth Mendez
Offertory: Russ & Cindy Pierce
Ordinary Minister: Deacon Rod Conkle
Extraordinary Ministers: Bob & Polly Meyer, Ed Mendez
Greeters: Marlin & Tasha Eicher

**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**

JANUARY MONEY COUNTERS:

Diane Collins, Carol Art
Leesa Battershell, Deb Thiel

JANUARY MONEY COLLECTORS:

Sundays ~ Diane Collins
Saturdays ~ Brad Laker

INCOME:

Sunday (mailed and Online)	\$ 2,730.00
Christmas	\$ 6,643.18
Building & Maintenance	\$ 45.00
Initial Offering	\$ 5.00
Candles	\$ 12.10
Community Meals	\$ 25.00
Restroom Reno	\$ 25.00
Rental Donation	\$ 50.00
Concert Tickets	\$ 2,350.00

**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
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 – Jan 1, 2023 – Jan 8, 2023

SUN	Jan	1	10:30am	Solemnity of Mary Mass
MON	Jan	2	10am-12pm	Pickle Ball
			7:00pm	Prayer Group before the Tabernacle
TUES	Jan	3	6:00pm	Franciscan Council Mtg
WED	Jan	4	8:30am	Mass
			10am-12pm	Pickle Ball
			6:00pm	CCD Classes
THUR	Jan	5	8:00am	Adoration
FRI	Jan	6	8:30am	Mass
			10am-12pm	Pickle Ball
SAT	Jan	7	4:00pm	Mass
				After Mass ~~ Soup & Sandwich Public Meal
SUN	Jan	8	10:30am	Mass
				After Mass ~~ Soup & Sandwich Public Meal

NEWS FROM ST MICHAEL

- **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 and 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 who need help. We have a nice collection of YOUR glass, metal and 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 i
- **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.**

~ A Note from Father Dan ~

Thank you! Thank you! I express my sincere thanks to so many of you for your cards, gifts, Christmas treats and kind words over the Christmas Season. I am truly humbled by your kindness and generosity. Also, thanks to all who contributed in any way to the celebration of our Christmas Masses. What a joy to be able to gather and celebrate the wonders of God's love. As we continue to celebrate the gift of Jesus, I pray for all of you. May you experience joy in the birth of Christ and many blessings throughout the year!

In Christ's love, Fr. Dan

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

December 14th

James Dean Pepple

Dec 30th

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 jmmec2007@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.

- **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** – RCIA classes are available for sign up now. Class days & times are determined by all participants' availability. If you or someone you know is interested in learning about the Catholic Faith & possibly joining the Church, please contact the office 419-542-8202 or saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com.
- **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.
- **Come & visit Jesus**—The doors are open. Come and sit with Jesus on Thursdays. Adoration Thurs 8a m-7pm.
- **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 6:30pm in the Church. Families are welcome: education is a key to prevention.

Contribution Statements will be provided upon request! Please call or email the office OR drop a note in the collection requesting yours!

Your 2023 Contribution envelopes are in the narthex 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

➤ **Do you want to enrich your Christian walk with Jesus and enlighten your relationship with God?**
Come join us every 3rd Thursday of the month 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.

➤ **2023 March for Life ~** Interested in attending the 2023 National March for Life in Washington, D.C.? Join the Diocese of Toledo pilgrimage to the

first ever nation-wide celebration of preborn lives in a post-Roe world! The trip is only \$275 per person, and partial scholarships are available upon request! Our pilgrimage includes two nights in the Residence Inn by Marriott in Downtown Washington, D.C., as well as free time to tour the city. We depart from St. Thomas More University Parish in Bowling Green on Thursday, January 19th, at 11 a.m. and will stop in Norwalk to allow those from the eastern region of the Diocese to hop on our five charter buses. We will attend Holy Mass celebrated by Fr. David Kidd in the Crypt Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception on Friday morning, then attend the Rally and March for Life! This would have been the 50th anniversary of the Roe vs. Wade decision making abortion the law of the land, so it will be an even more exciting experience knowing that Roe has been reversed and

each state now has the chance to protect preborn lives at a more local level! On Saturday morning, we will attend the National Pro-Life Summit hosted by

~~ DAILY READINGS ~~

MON, JAN 2, 2023:

1 Jn 2:22-28
Jn 1:19-28

TUES, JAN 3, 2023:

1 Jn 2:29-3:6
Jn 1:29-34

WED, JAN 4, 2023:

1 Jn 3:7-10
Jn 1:35-42

THURS, JAN 5, 2023:

1 Jn 3:11-21
Jn 1:43-51

FRI, JAN 6, 2023:

1 Jn 5:5-13
Mt 1:7-11

SAT, JAN 7, 2023:

1 Jn 5:14-21
Jn 2:1-11

SUN, JAN 8, 2023:

Is 60:1-6
Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6
Mt 2:1-12

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY

is again sponsoring a baby shower for the Community Pregnancy Center in January. Please fill the Pack & Play crib that was purchased for the CPC.

Items especially needed for the Defiance CPC are:



Diapers, size 4,5,& 6
Diaper ointment
Nail clippers
Thermometers
Baby Wipes

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Students for Life of America. This is the largest pro-life conference in the world, and for the first time, the Diocese of Toledo has been awarded a national grant to allow everyone in our pilgrimage to attend COMPLETELY FREE (\$150 value per person). To learn more about the summit, go to www.prolifesummit.com. To register, go to www.tinyurl.com/DCMarch2023 or email Students for Life Coordinator, Allison Stump, at astump@toledodiocese.org. Registration is now open to anyone in the Diocese—students, young adults, and the young at heart! All minors must be accompanied at all times by a parent or legal guardian. For questions, call Allison Stump at 419-214-4973.

Hello January

St. Michael Catholic Church
Community Supper
January 12th, 5 - 6pm
Delivery 4:30 - 5:00pm



ST. MICHAEL PARISH FAMILY!

Soup & Sandwich

We will be starting up our soup & sandwich meals again after the 1st of the year.

Thank you those volunteering!

Please contact Diane Collins
419-487-1297

If you are able to help!

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

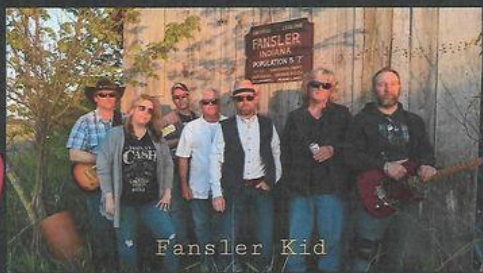
Christ Cupboard Wed, Dec 28
and Rev. Bob Knapp Thurs, Dec 29
needs your help! Fri, Dec 30
Call Rev. Knapp at 419-487-1324 Sat, Dec 31

Need volunteers to help move Christ
Cupboard to their new location in the
old Yoder's Restaurant.

**volunteers
needed**

Valentine's Dance

Featuring:
Fansler Kid Band



Single
Entry
\$10

Couple's
Entry
\$20

7pm-11
pm

Public
is
welcome!

Doors
open
6:30

Saturday, February 11

Soda, water, beer and wine available to purchase
FREE WILL DONATION for
Sandwiches, chips and cookies
FREE POPCORN
Raffles throughout the evening
Single Cost \$10 Couples Cost \$20

Spread the word! This is a great way to get together with
friends!

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

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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!

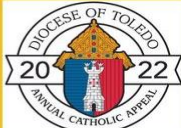


\$3,250,000

as of 12.16.22
101%
OF GOAL

YOU DID IT!

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED IN REACHING OUR ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL GOAL OF \$3,250,000!




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



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

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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

419-980-2410 Bill Elwood
419-658-2787 Claren Osmun
260-479-7707 Joe Stotler
260-452-9231 John Gordon
419-551-1267 Rex Ford
419-487-0163 Eric Crall
419-487-2672 Brandy Saylor

Jill McCormack, Secretary, 419-769-5561

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

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.rotundasoftware.com/29/vsp/web-terminal/home?user=Adoration_Chapel_St_I

Can you come and spend an hour with me?



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;