



St. Michael Catholic Church

100 Antwerp Drive

Hicksville, OH 43526

Mailing/Billing Address:

311 West High Street

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**

February 18, 2024

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:

Very Reverend Daniel E. Borgelt
Edgerton Office

419-298-2540

Deacon Joe Timbrook, Senior Status
deacon_joe@hotmail.com

260-466-9741

Deacon Rod Conkle
rodconkle@live.com

419-542-6473

Deacon John Kromer, Senior Status
ydnimt822@gmail.com

419-670-1855

Office Manager/Bookkeeper / Susie Smalley
saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com

419-542-8202

Pastoral Council Pres/Cody Sanders
Finance Council Chair/Gabe Inkrott

419-487-4280

260-908-3177

Maintenance Committee: Russell Pierce
Custodian/ Bob Meyer

419-506-0061

419-487-1179

CCD Coordinator: Kayla Vetter

419-518-0201

Bulletin Editor/ Mary Wermer

419-769-6750

Jmmec2007@yahoo.com (Deadline: Tuesday @ 5pm)

Altar Rosary Society Pres / Shelia Bassett

419-542-6141

Knights of Columbus Acting Gr Knight /Marlin Eicher

419-487-0949

Music Director / Joy Martin

419-438-2516

Liturgies & Calendar

LENT

The First Sunday of Lent

February 18, 2024

E	<i>Sat</i>	Feb 17	4:00pm	Living & Deceased Members of Our Livestream Community
B			6:00pm	** The Parish
E H	<i>Sun</i>	Feb 18	8:30am 10:30am	Bill & Dorothy Welch Carmen Lanum
B	Mon	Feb 19	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	Feb 20	6:00pm	Joan Kimpel
H	<i>Wed</i>	Feb 21	8:30am	Arlene Billman (Angie Provine's Mom)
E	Thurs	Feb 22	8:30am	Dean & Norma Seevers
H	<i>Fri</i>	Feb 23	8:30am	** People of the Parish
E B	<i>Sat</i>	Feb 24	4:00pm 6:00pm	Mary Margaret Welly Troy and Tim Winright
E H	<i>Sun</i>	Feb 25	8:30am 10:30am	Marilyn Herman Wilford & Mary Osborn

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

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>.

A Family Perspective ~ February 18th – The 1st Sunday of Lent

~ Jesus went into the desert to put his life in perspective. This lent, take a fresh look at a difficult relationship in your life. Concentrate on the positive things that person does, not just the negatives. Try to understand why their behaviors 'bug' you. Can you honestly share your feelings with them without attacking them? **Make Lent a time to MEND and FORGIVE!**



INCOME:

Sunday (mailed and Online)	\$ 4,943.00
Landscaping Fund	\$ 5.00
Building & Maintenance Fund	\$ 50.00
Restroom Renovation Fund	\$ 50.00
Initial Offering	\$ 9.00
Soup & Sandwich Donation	\$ 20.00
Community Meals	\$ 25.00
Square Dance Donation	\$ 30.00

Weekly Calendar – Feb 18, 2024 – Feb 25, 2024

SUN	Feb 18	10:30am	Sunday Mass
		1:30pm	Franciscan Frat Mtg
MON	Feb 19	10:00am	Pickleball
		7:00pm	Prayers Before the Tabernacle
WED	Feb 21	8:30am	Mass
		10:00am	Pickleball
		5:00pm	RCIA Class
		6:00pm	CCD Classes
THUR	Feb 22	8:00am	Adoration
FRI	Feb 23	8:30am	Mass
		10:00am	Pickleball
		4:30pm	K of C Fish Fry
		7:00pm	Stations of the Cross
SAT	Feb 24	7:00pm	Parish Square Dance
SUN	Feb 25	10:30am	Sunday Mass
		11:30am	Youth Group

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

Extra Parish Directories

If you did not get one of these beautiful compilations of our parish family there are copies available at the main entrance.

What a fabulous way to learn new faces & see the ministry groups that you can become a part of!

If you're so inclined there are envelopes available for a free will donation to St. Michael Parish.

This week's Ministry Spotlight ~

Engaged Couples – Engaged Couples can contact Father directly to start their journey toward Holy Matrimony. Father will help you every step of the way including helping you find the Engaged Couples Conference or the Diocesan Marriage Prep Workshops (ToledoMarriage.org) to fulfill your obligation before your wedding. If you're wanting to rent the gym or the basement for wedding receptions, contact the Office at 419-542-8202 or email saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com.

➤ **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.

➤ **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** – RCIA classes are alive & active in our parish! If you or someone you know is interested in learning about the Catholic Faith & possibly joining the Church, please contact the office at 419-542-8202 or saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com. **ALL are Welcomed!!**

➤ **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.**



The St. Michael Leadership Team would like to ask all parishioners to join in an effort to lift our First Communicants and Confirmation Students in prayer. Prayer stones will be available at each entrance of the church on Ash Wednesday. One student's name will be on each stone. Please pick one to take with you and place it where it will remind you to pray for the student every time you see the stone. Pictures of these students will be posted in the foyer at church, so you can put a face to the name you picked. Thank you for your commitment to the next generation of the Church!

Whatever you ask for in prayer with faith, you will receive. Matthew 21:22

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

February 14th

Ray Schliesser

Martha Sweet

Noah Delagrange

Santo Brothers

Michael Bell

Carl Sabo

Jeanette Sabo Rosenbury

Deb Rogers

Father Tom Oedy

Jean Reinhart

Kiersten Vetter

Tanya Wonderly

Stacy Bartley

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

Brian Kraft

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

A Note From The Knights Of Columbus~

The following Knights from our parish are in need of extra prayers as they go through some difficult circumstances in their lives:

Brian Amstutz

Floyd Esquivel

Ed Hesselschwardt

Devon Werder

Joseph Meyer

Bill Welly

Ralph Art

Dale Gallup

Joe Kemerer

Rusty Campbell

Kenneth Reinhart

Jason Wermer

➤ **Come & visit Jesus**—The doors are open. Come and sit with Jesus on Thursdays. Adoration Thurs 8am -7pm.

➤ **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.

➤ **Do you watch or listen to The Bishop's Corner?** weekly show where Bishop Daniel E. Thomas answers questions from the Faithful, gives a gospel reflection & talks about the upcoming events on his calendar & around the diocese. Listen: Annunciation Radio, Thursdays at 4:30pm on 89.7FM Toledo/Bowling Green, 88.1FM Sandusky/Port Clinton, 89.9FM Bryan, 89.5FM Mansfield, 90.9FM Willard. Holy Family Radio, Thursdays at 3:30pm on 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 your questions to the Catholic faith, diocesan news and events or anything you'd like to ask Bishop Thomas. Visit annunciation.com/bishops-corner.html or email bishop@annunciationradio.com.

Most debates on abortion have centered around ethical, religious, and other issues concerning the rights of the unborn child in circumstances of an "unplanned pregnancy". However, a recent study in New Zealand focused on the mental health of young women following an abortion. The study concluded, "Those having an abortion have elevated rates of subsequent mental health problems including depression, anxiety, suicidal behaviors and substance use disorders" (Journal of Child Psychology & Psychiatry).

God will heal these precious women-- but they need to reach out to Him; they can find additional healing below.

Healing after abortion: Rachel's Vinyard Hotline 877-467-3463

Help for Mom's in Need:
419-542-8202

Help for an unexpected pregnancy: Crisis Pregnancy Center 24 hr. Hotline 1-800-633-3339

How to Connect with Us:

Website:

Saintmichaelhicksville.org

Facebook Page:

St Michael Catholic Church-Hicksville

YouTube Channel:

St. Michael Hicksville

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saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com

Phone: Office 419-542-8202

Text: 419-487-0495 Jan Kaylor
419-487-2652 Susie Smalley

Bulletin – printed weekly and available:

Printed hardcopies when you come to Mass

Printed hardcopies in carport wall box

Website: Saintmichaelhicksville.org

Facebook:

St Michael Catholic Church-Hicksville

Emailed weekly: contact the office at

saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com

& we'll get you added to our weekly mailing list

CRIPPLED CHILDREN & ADULT SOCIETY, INC.
309 Wendell Ave., Hicksville, OH 43526 P.O. Box 154
AVAILABLE TO ALL RESIDENTS OF
FARMER, MARK, MILFORD, HICKSVILLE, and HICKSVILLE TWP.
AT NO CHARGE

WHEELCHAIRS
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ROLLATORS

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OTHER AIDS

Other services available dependent on needs.

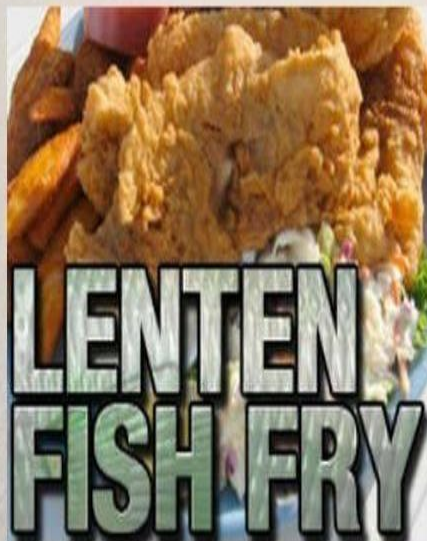
To inquire about borrowing the above items or other services,
PLEASE CALL NUMBERS BELOW:

419-980-2410 Bill Elwood	419-658-2787 Claren Osmun	260-452-9231 John Gordon
419-769-2424 Nancy Chapman	419-542-7870 Frank Hostetler	419-542-8846 Carl Clark
419-670-5980 Hal Osmun	419-487-1166 Bruce Guilford	419-551-1267 Rex Ford
419-487-0163 Eric Crall	419-542-8648 Robert Breisinger	419-487-1837 Lee Ann Blair
419-487-2836 Randy Diehl	419-487-2672 Brandy Saylor	260-980-0747 Dale Schreck
419-769-5561 Jill McCormack, Sect.	419-542-9000 Denise Sutter, Treas.	
419-670-3743 Tom Battershell, Pres.		

*Donations can be mailed to:

CCAS, Inc. 309 Wendell Ave., PO Box 154, Hicksville, OH 43526

St. Michael Catholic Church Hicksville



Alaskan
Pollock

Pick it up at the Carport!

Fish \$15-lb

\$10- 1/2 lb

Fish Fry Dates

Friday, January 26

Friday, February 9

Friday, February 23

Friday, March 8

Friday, March 22

Dinners \$12



Drive thru opens at
4:30p.m.



Donations for Holiday Gift Baskets

WE ARE HAVING OUR SQUARE DANCE FEBRUARY 24. WE ARE ASKING DONATIONS OF GIFT BASKETS FOR A RAFFLE.

PLEASE CONTACT RONIE TIMBROOK, 419-487-2630

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR SQUARE DANCE!

Sign up sheets will be at the entrance of the Church!

Money takers, tickets, bartenders, set up, clean up, etc.

Any Questions call:
Diane Collins 419-487-1297



Round and Square Dance

Saturday, February 24

7 til 10

Doors open at 6 pm

Sponsored by St. Michael Catholic Church

\$10/person

\$20/family

100 Antwerp Drive
Hicksville, Ohio

Caller for the Night: Doug Michaelis

Free Will Offering for Food
Water, Soda, Beer and Wine
will be sold.

Raffles throughout the night.



Public Invited!

*Square Dancing
for everyone!*

ADULT EPIC:

Be sure to mark your calendars for **Wednesday, February 21 at 6:45 PM** for the next Adult EPIC featuring **Rick Lingvai**, son of Tom and Sue Lingvai, and **Fr. Dave Nuss, Pastor of Christ the King Parish in Toledo** and long-time weekly host on Annunciation Catholic Radio and podcast co-host of "Casting the Net." They will speak on "Let the Children Come to Me: Raising Faithful Kids in a Faithless World." There is a \$5 fee per session. Program is at Saint Patrick Catholic Church. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Carol Kurivial at 419.630.6410.

PARISH MISSION

TIME FOR SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

March 18 - 21, 2024

Monday - Thursday:

**9:00 a.m. at St. Michael's in Hicksville &
7:00 p.m. at St. Mary's in Edgerton**

Conducted by Fr. Michael Moore, St. Patrick Fathers

**Jesus Christ, Son of God,
Not Only With Us But Also Within Us**

Mass and Four Reflections

**Monday: "Stay with us, for it is nearly evening
and the day is almost over."**

**Tuesday: That is why Jesus, the Son of God,
was born as one of us.**

**Wednesday: That is also why Jesus gave us
the Eucharist.**

**Thursday: How can we even try to understand
the next life while still in this life?**

**THE 22ND
MSGR. JEROME E. SCHMIT
YOUTH FOUNDATION DINNER**
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2024
THE PINNACLE, MAUMEE

**FEATURING
FR. BURKE MASTERS**
AUTHOR OF 'A GRAND SLAM FOR
GOD: A JOURNEY FROM BASEBALL
STAR TO CATHOLIC PRIEST'

THE WORKS OF ARTMAN

- www.catholicclub.org | 419-243-7257
- Catholic Club, c/o MSYF,
1601 Jefferson Avenue, Toledo 43604
- or email MSYFinfo@gmail.com
- Doors open at 6 p.m./Dinner is served at 7 p.m.

**TABLES OF TEN ARE \$600 /
INDIVIDUAL TICKETS ARE \$60**

22ND MSGR. JEROME E. SCHMIT YOUTH FOUNDATION DINNER

COMPANY NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

CONTACT: _____ **PHONE:** _____

EMAIL: _____

SUPPORT OPPORTUNITIES

PROGRAM SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES:

\$2,000 Outside or Inside Cover, Video Recognition, Front Row Seating, Table for 10

\$1,000 Half Page Ad, Video Recognition, Table for 10

**PLEASE EMAIL ARTWORK
BY JANUARY 19 TO
MSYFINFO@GMAIL.COM**

Number of Tables for Ten: _____ @ \$600 = Total \$ _____

Number of Single Tickets: _____ @ \$ 60 = Total \$ _____

Sorry, I cannot attend; enclosed is my donation for: \$ _____

Total Program Book Advertising & Dinner Reservations: \$ _____

For payment by credit card: (Mastercard,
Visa or Discover) visit www.catholicclub.org. Please make checks payable to: Msgr.
Schmit Youth Foundation, c/o Catholic Club,
1601 Jefferson Avenue, Toledo 43604

NW.OHIO FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

Guest Speakers

Steve Grube
President / C.E.O.
Grube, Inc.

Rick Small
Director of Marketing
Grube, Inc.

Feb. 24, 2024

ALL ARE INVITED

**Join us in welcoming our guest speakers Steve Grube and Rick Small.
They will share on how business & Faith life are interconnected.**

Born and raised in Defiance, Ohio, Steve is a Defiance High School graduate. He continued his education at The Ohio State University, graduation with a Finance Degree in 1991. He spent 25 years in Banking as an Executive with three community and regional banks leading Retail and Credit Administration. In 2001, Steve started Grube, Inc where he currently serves as the President and Chief Executive Officer of the Grube family of companies, which includes 60 Buffalo Wild Wings locations in seven states, 9 Marcos Pizza locations in Northwest Ohio, Rusty Taco in Maumee, Ohio and Par Golf in Columbus, Ohio. Steve and his wife, Kelly, have nine children and two grandchildren.

FREEWILL OFFERING

St. John Catholic Church
510 Jackson Ave.
Defiance, Ohio 43512

**Downstairs in
EMMAUS HALL**

**7:30 am
Coffee & Fellowship**

**8:00 AM
Breakfast & Speakers**

Rick is a native of Napoleon, however, has made his home in Defiance since 1999. For 33 years Rick was a radio announcer with stints in Defiance, Toledo, Port Clinton and Napoleon. He was the morning on air personality for WDFM (Mix 98.1) for the last 22 years of his radio career. He originated the Christmas for Kids program in 1995, which still serves the 6 counties of NW Ohio today. In 2017, he became the Director of Marketing with Grube, Inc. Today he oversees marketing strategies for 60 Buffalo Wild Wings locations in 7 States, as well for 9 Marcos Pizza locations in NW Ohio and Rusty Taco in Maumee. Rick and his wife, Ann, have 3 children and granddaughter.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL GEORGE WESTRICK at 419-784-3975

Calling all high school students!

XLT

5pm Mass (optional)

Food

Speaker

Adoration

Confession

6-9pm | March 24, 2024 | St. Thomas More University Parish, BG

Sponsored by: St. Aloysius & Diocese of Toledo

Please RSVP by March 8th, 2024

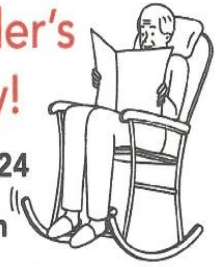
Come ROCK in the 90s!

Join us to celebrate
**Bob Nighswander's
90th Birthday!**



Saturday, April 6, 2024

1:30 pm to 3:30 pm

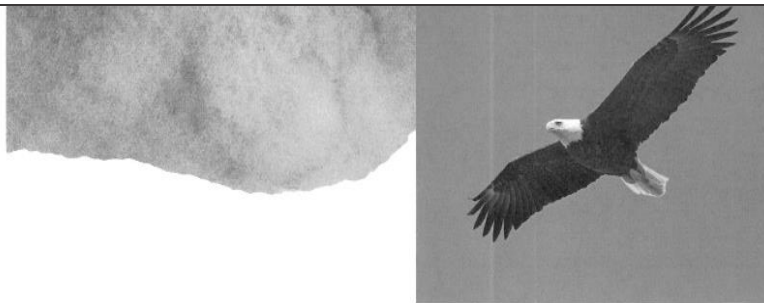


Divine Mercy of Antwerp Catholic Church Center

aka Saint Mary's Catholic Church Center

Daggett St, Antwerp, Ohio 45813

No gifts instead type a favorite memory
(16 font) for Bob to enjoy long after the event.



On Eagles Wings...

Do you or someone you love have a special need which is preventing you from attending Mass or receiving the Sacraments? Are you longing to be a part of your Catholic community but are unsure if there is a place for you?

Please come to a special Mass at Most Blessed Sacrament Parish on Sunday, March 10th at 3:00 p.m. After Mass enjoy pizza, music, and fun! On Eagles Wings is a place to share your unique gifts, make friends, and fulfill your sense of community.

Blessed Sacrament Church
2240 Castlewood Dr, Toledo, OH 43613
ALL ARE WELCOME!

Please RSVP to
Ann Schmidt
419-574-2574 afschmidt@earthlink.net

*"And He will raise you up on eagle's wings
Bear you on the breath of dawn
Make you to shine like the sun
And hold you in the palm of His Hand"*

Renewal Of The Heart Presents Two, 1 - Day Retreats

"Growing In Faith"
March 2, 2024



"Living in Faith"
March 16, 2024

All Christian men are invited to join us for our two upcoming 1-day retreats on March 2, 2024 and March 16th, 2024. We are meant to encounter God in our life. God is meant to be a part of our life speaking to us, guiding us and leading us.



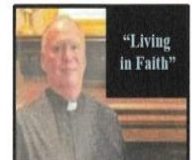
Nick De La Torre
Awaken Catholic Ministries
March 2, 2024

8:30am Continental Breakfast
9:00 am to 4:45 pm

Theme:
"Growing in Faith"

- "Discovering the Power and Purpose of Faith"
- "Finding Faith"
- "Being Transformed by Faith"
- "Spiritual Conversion"
- "Renewal of Manhood"

Conclude your experience with mass at 5:00 pm.



Father George Wenzinger
Diocese of Toledo Minister to Priest
March 16, 2024

8:30am Continental Breakfast
9:00 am to 4:45pm

Theme:
"Living in Faith"

- "Embracing the Fourth Quarter of Your Life"
- "Living in Faith is to believe in the Goodness of God"
- "Life is not easy" (St. Paul to the Romans 5; 1-5)
- "Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen." (Hebrews 11:1)
- "Can God Trust in You"

Conclude your experience with mass at 5:00 pm.

Location: St. John Catholic Church 510 Jackson Ave. Defiance, Oh.

Retreat will include: Fellowship, Personal Witness, Group Sharing, Great Food and Live Music.

*"Stand firm in your faith, be courageous, be strong."
1 Corinthians 16:13*

For more information & to RSVP please call

George Westrick 419-784-3975 Martin Nezick 419-782-3418 Tom Boyers 419-439-2984

Preparing for Lent

Prayer · Fasting · Almsgiving

Daily morning email with Mass, Saint of the Day,
Reflections from Bishop Robert Barron, One
Bread, One Body, Ewtn, and Seize the Day!

Enrich your Lenten Devotions! Join Us!

Contact

saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com

GIRL'S CHALLENGE CLUB



GIRLS AGES 10 AND
UP ARE INVITED TO
JOIN OUR BRAND-NEW
CHALLENGE CLUB.

MEETINGS WILL BE HELD ON
THE SECOND MONDAY OF
EACH MONTH FROM
6:00-8:00 P.M. MEETINGS
WILL BE A MIXTURE OF FUN
AND FAITH; GIRLS WILL
LEARN ABOUT SCRIPTURE,
SAINTS, VIRTUES, AND
SERVICE AS THEY ENJOY
PLAYING AND PRAYING
TOGETHER.



FOR MORE
INFORMATION
CONTACT

EARLEE HARRIS
(419-542-1800)
OR SARA BLALOCK
(419-298-2892).

St. Michael Parish Needs You!!!

A booklet for Mass Servers includes the following prayer:

Lord, thank you for calling me to serve you at the altar.
Help me to sense your presence at Mass.
Help me to grow in serving you and others.
I ask this in Jesus' name. Amen

Guide for Altar Servers, Liguori Publications



This prayer can hopefully be expressed by all people who assist with any ministries at Mass. God is so good to us to allow us the unique opportunity at Mass to come together and offer our praise to God, to be inspired by the Scripture Readings, and to be nourished by Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. What a privilege it is to be able to attend Mass and participate in any way.

In order for Mass to be celebrated well, we need many people to assist with the various ministries. Thank you to those who so generously and faithfully give of your time and talent to serve. I would like to **extend a special invitation to others to volunteer to help.**

___ Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (Communion Distributor)
___ Server ___ Usher / Greeter ___ Lector
___ Choir ___ Other ministry

Name: _____ Phone: _____