



St. Michael Catholic Church

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Hicksville, OH 43526

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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**

July 21, 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
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Office Manager/Bookkeeper / Susie Smalley <u>saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com</u>	419-542-8202
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Finance Council Chair/Gabe Inkrott	260-908-3177
Maintenance Committee: Russell Pierce	419-506-0061
Custodian/ Bob Meyer	419-487-1179
CCD Coordinator: Kayla Vetter	419-518-0201
Bulletin Editor/ Mary Wermer <u>Jmmec2007@yahoo.com</u> (Deadline: Tuesday @ 5pm)	419-769-6750
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Knights of Columbus Grand Knight /Jim Siler	419-487-1611
Music Director / Joy Martin	419-438-2516

Liturgies & Calendar



16th Sunday In Ordinary Time July 21, 2024

H B	Sat	July 20	4:00pm 6:00pm	** People of the Parish JoAnn & Harry Wolf
E H	Sun	July 21	8:30am 10:30am	Steven Fritch Jean Reinhart
B	Mon	July 22	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	July 23	6:00pm	Cloard Thiel
H	Wed	July 24	8:30am	Dee Bany
E	Thurs	July 25	8:30am	Steve Walker
H	Fri	July 26	8:30am	Gregory Langham
H B	Sat	July 27	4:00pm 6:00pm	Leonard Siebenaler ** The Parish
E H	Sun	July 28	8:30am 10:30am	Maxine Sanders Noah Delagrang

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

A Family Perspective ~ July 21st – 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time In today's gospel "the apostles gathered around and told Jesus all they had done." Listening allows the other person to express, understand and appreciate their experiences. Whether it is the excited chatter of young child or the repetitious stories of an aging grandparent, **listening is important.** It is not just time well spent, it is sacred time.



UPDATE

Please, Please update your address and phone # if changed. Let us know please!

saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com



Ministries Schedule for Saturday, July 27, 2024 @ 4:00pm

Servers: Kendra & Raelyn Vetter

Ushers: Andrew Baumgartner, Mike Firestine

Lector: Jim Battershell

Extraordinary Ministers: Ted & Pat Nieuwlandt, Dan Vetter, Mary Slattery

Offertory: Deb Harris

Greeters: Bob & Roxie Timbrook

Ministries Schedule for Sunday, July 28, 2024 @ 10:30am

Servers: Noah & Eden Campbell

Ushers: Eric Art, Jim Siler

Lector: Doug Vogelsong

Ordinary Minister: Deacon John Kromer

Extraordinary Ministers: Melissa Sanders, Steph Mazur, Bob Meyer, Ed Mendez

Offertory: Drew & Jackie Taylor

Greeters: Eric & Vicki Art

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

JULY MONEY COUNTERS:

Shelia Bassett, Carol Art

Joan Linder

JULY MONEY COLLECTORS:

Sundays ~ Judy McCalla

Saturdays ~ Janet Langham

INCOME:

Sunday (mailed and Online)	\$ 2,375.00
Building & Maintenance Fund	\$ 595.00
Candles	\$ 19.00
Restroom Renovation Fund	\$ 25.00
Hicksville K of C to Youth Group	\$ 2,500.00
Landscaping Fund	\$ 90.00
Parish Assistance	\$ 50.00
Community Meals	\$ 200.00
Memorial	\$ 25.00

This powerful pro-life film emphasizes the humanity of the unborn child by exposing the truth behind abortion. It features dramatic testimony from women, former abortion clinic workers, historians & religious leaders. **MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN.** Watch "The Matter of Life" FREE with On Demand – <https://bit.ly/TMOLOD>.

NOTE: We will not walk on Mondays if it's raining or 90 degrees! We Will be walking up to November 7th – unless there is snow or ice.

WALK FOR LIFE
Walk the Talk

1 Peter 4:10



Please join Rosanna Husted in walking to support our pregnant moms & preborn babies. We are walking @ 6:00 pm in the Church parking lot on Mondays through the end of August. If you are not able to walk, please pray for them.



➤ **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.

~~ DAILY READINGS ~~

MON, JULY 22, 2024:

SGS 3:1-4B
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

TUES, JULY 23, 2024:

MI 7:14-15, 18-20
MT 12:46-50

Wed, JULY 24, 2024:

Jer 1:1, 4-10
Mt 13:1-9

Thurs, JULY 25, 2024:

2 Cor 4:7-15
Mt 20:20-28

Fri, JULY 26, 2024:

JER 3:14-17
MT 13:18-23

Sat, JULY 27, 2024:

Jer 7:1-11
Mt 13:24-30

SUN, JULY 28, 2024:

2 Kgs 4:42-44
Eph 4:1-6
Jn 6:1-15

➤ **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.**

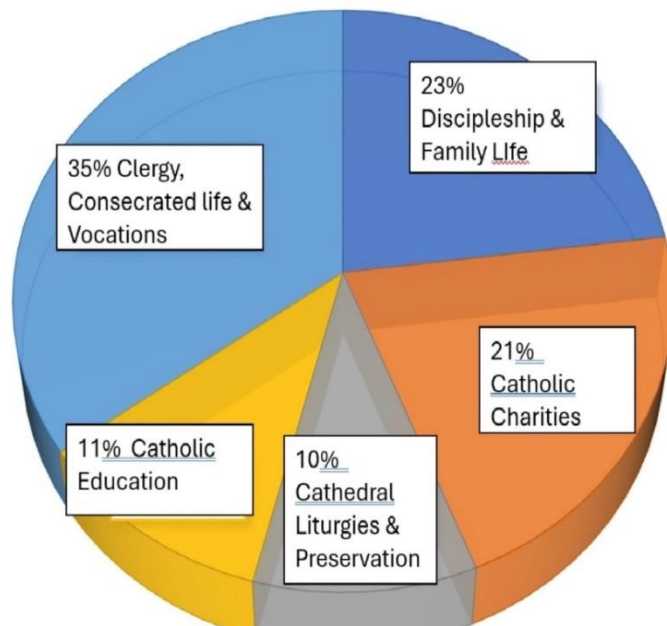
The past year's audit was a data collection process, examining the period of July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024. Bishop Daniel Thomas is pleased to announce that the Diocese was found to be in full compliance with the requirements in the Charter following the audit. The Diocese of Toledo remains committed to ensuring

Can you help us get to our Goal!
Envelopes are available on the table before you go into church.
Also you can go online to the Diocese of Toledo website.
<https://www.acatledo.org/donate>

**2024 Annual Catholic Appeal
St. Michael, Hicksville**

% of Goal Pledged/Paid	73.97%
Goal	\$13,068
Total Pledged & Paid	\$9,667
Total Paid	\$9,457

YOUR GIFT TO THE ACA HAS IMPACT



the protection of children & providing a safe environment for all young people. If you have any knowledge of abuse that has been committed by a cleric or by any personnel of the Catholic Church, you are urged to report the abuse to your local police department, Children Services, & to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (419) 214-4880; or write to the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 1933 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo, Oh 43604.

➤ **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. Send your questions to annunciation.com/bishops-corner.html or email bishop@annunciationradio.com.

This week's Ministry Spotlight ~

Vacation Bible School– It's a 4 day-long Summer program for boys and girls in grades K-4. We encourage kids to find the talents God has given them. ***Please join us in planting seeds of Jesus' love in the hearts of our youth. We need volunteers to make our program a success this year!*** Contact Kayla Vetter at 419-518-0201 or e-mail stmikehiCCD@gmail.com if you would like information on how you can help with VBS..



St. Michael VBS 2024 Registration—please put in collection or return to office

Child's Full Name: _____ Grade: ___ Age: ___ Allergies: _____

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Attending: Monday _____ Tuesday _____ Wednesday _____ Thursday _____

Parents' Names: _____

Home Full Address: _____

Church Attended: _____ Baptized Y/N: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone #: _____

Email: _____

I give permission for pictures/info of my child(ren) to be used for the Parish's social media accounts.

Parents' Signature _____

SOURCE AND SUMMIT

HOW THE MASS IS THE BEGINNING AND COMPLETION OF ALL OUR PRAYERS

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE MASS

On Sunday, July 21st, we invite you to join Father Joseph Mominee as he walks us through the Mass. Bring your questions and prepare your heart to be thrown deeper into the mystery of God's love for us! After the talk stay for a short time of Eucharistic Adoration where Jesus will be present to us in the Eucharist.



SUNDAY,
JULY 21, 2024
2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

**AT ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST
CATHOLIC CHURCH
IN DELPHOS**



Special Guest Speaker
Father Joseph Mominee

NORTHWEST OHIO CHAPTER

HelpOurMarriage.com RETRouvaille

A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

The Retrouvaille program is for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationships

A weekend has been scheduled! Register at:
<https://helpourmarriage.org>

July 26th - 28th, 2024

Call: 419-481-1116

Email:

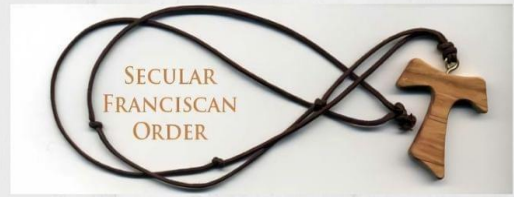
NWOHio@helpourmarriage.org

A Lifeline for Troubled Marriages



THE FOLLOWING TOPICS WILL BE EXPLORED DURING THE POST WEEKEND PHASE:

- Building a Healthy Marriage • Listening and Communication • Family of Origin, Personality Styles • Needs, Expectations, Values, Personal Relationship with God
- Love and Commitment • Forgiveness and Trust • Managing Conflict • Intimacy
- Sexuality • We are a Sacrament
- Sharing the Gift



The Secular Franciscans will come and pray with the sick or dying.

If you have a family member or loved one who is in need of prayers, please contact one of the Franciscans or contact the Office. One or more members will come to where you are to pray the prayers of the Church and bring comfort and peace. If you would like to join the Franciscans in this mission of praying for those in need, please join us whether you're Franciscan or not. Call the office at 419-542-8202 or email us at saintmichaelhicksville@gmail.com.

➤ **St Richard Craft show in Swanton.** Would you like to share your special talent with a local parish community? If so, this is just the event for you! St. Richard is going to also have a **TEEN ZONE** at our next craft show, Saturday, **September 28th**. If you enjoy baking, sewing, pottery, jewelry making or any other crafty work please call/text Amanda for details. 419-438-2346.

Street Evangelization Team



A group of parishioners are starting up a Street Evangelization Team. Several attended a training sponsored by the Diocese in Findlay. At public events or on street corners, we will set up a table with a sign saying something like this:

We will also be ready to answer questions about Faith, the Catholic Church, and life in general.

"Can we pray for you today?"

If you'd like to become a part of this team, contact Father Dan, the Office, or Steve Talbott at 419-487-3558.

At this time, we are in need of Rosaries and medals to disperse for free at the Street Evangelization Table. Do you have old Rosaries and Catholic items laying around, and you don't know what to do with them?

If you have Rosaries, etc., there's a basket by the mailboxes by the elevator upstairs for these (and THANK YOU!). They don't have to be expensive or new. We had a number of Rosaries from the training that were just blessed, and a family whose matriarch was in Hospice requested Rosaries, and so they were needed!

This Week's Pro-Life Sentiment ~

The following is an explanation of the abortion pill Mifeprestone by Dr Noreen Johnson:

"My name is Dr. Noreen Johnson. I'm a Board-Certified Obstetrician Gynecologist with 44 years of experience and I've completed over one thousand abortions. Today I'm going to explain how The Abortion Pill works, which has been approved by the FDA to be taken up to the 10th week of pregnancy, although many abortion facilities use the pill off label for weeks after that. The abortion pill regimen consists of two steps. **Step One** - At the abortion facility or at home, the woman swallows Mifepristone pills. Mifepristone blocks the action of a hormone called Progesterone. Progesterone is naturally produced in the mother's body to stabilize the lining of the uterus. When Mifepristone blocks progesterone, the lining of the mother's uterus breaks down, cutting off oxygen and vital nutrients to the embryo, who then dies inside the mother's womb. It is important to note that even after it has been taken, it is possible to stop the effects of Mifepristone and save the embryo, if Progesterone is administered. If the woman wants to stop the effects of the Mifepristone, she needs Progesterone as soon as possible. **Step Two** - 24-48 hours after taking Mifepristone, the woman takes Misoprostol by placing the pills in her cheeks. She will experience severe cramping, contractions, and heavy bleeding, to force the dead embryo out of her uterus. The process can be very intense and painful, and the bleeding and contractions can last from a few hours to several days. While she could lose her embryo anytime and anywhere during this process, the woman will often sit on a toilet as she prepares to expel the embryo, which she will then flush. She may even see the expelled embryo within the pregnancy sac. After she has disposed of the embryo, the woman may have bleeding and spotting for several weeks. **Bleeding**- Bleeding lasts, on average, 9-16 days. 8% of women bleed more than 30 days, and half a percent require hospitalization because of heavy bleeding. **Failure Rate**-The failure rate increases as the pregnancy progresses. At 8 weeks or less, the failure rate is 2-6%. At 8 or 9 weeks, the failure rate is 4-6%, at 9-10 weeks, the failure rate is 7-9%, and at 10-11 week, the failure rate is 13%. If failure occurs, she will usually be offered a surgical abortion, in which the embryo or remaining tissue is removed using suction. **Conclusion** - For the mother, abortion pills often cause abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, headache and heavy bleeding. Maternal deaths have occurred, most frequently due to infection and undiagnosed ectopic pregnancy. Ectopic pregnancy is when implantation occurs outside the uterus, usually in the fallopian tube. As I mentioned at the beginning, I used to do abortions. At the time I truly believed I was helping women. I initially stopped doing abortions to save my reputation. I was becoming known as the town abortionist, and I didn't want that. Later, however, I came to recognize the inherent value and dignity of all human life. That's when I truly saw the ugliness of abortion. Now, I am a pro-life advocate. I am proof that anyone can change, no matter who they are or what they have done. I invite you to join me and make a decision to protect the preborn. Thank you."

2024 Assumption Choir

Sing for the Vigil Mass of the Assumption
on Wednesday, August 14 at 9:30pm
in the Our Lady of Consolation Shrine Park

Rehearsals:

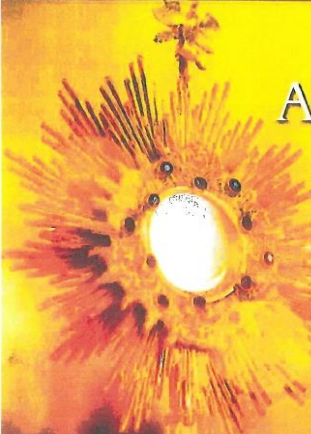
July 28
August 4
August 11

4:00-5:30pm in the
Original Shrine Church
(corner of Clay & Lake St.)

Contact Anthony Gallina at
music@olcshrine.com
for more information!



ECCE YOUNG ADULT CHOIR PRESENTS



AN HOUR WITH JESUS

St. Augustine Catholic Church
July 25th at 7:00pm

Join us for a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration
Prayer † Sacred Music † Silence

Ecce Choir 'Unveils' Nature of Sacred Music

The Second Vatican Council expressly taught that "the musical tradition of the universal Church is a treasure of inestimable value, greater even than that of any other art." In recent years, Jessica Schuster, an artist passionately dedicated to making this treasure better known and appreciated by the faithful, she along with a group of beautiful young adult voices will bring this experience of inestimable treasure through their singing, chanting and praying in a most sacred way. They will provide singing during a very special Holy Hour providing Sacred Music with the Divine Mercy Chaplet; reconciliation will be available beginning from 6:45. A social hour will follow in the Ministry Center with snacks and beverages. I invite and encourage every member to experience this sacred experience in the presence of our loving Lord.

Jessica Schuster once said about one their songs... "Adoremus Te Christe", "When we are faced with the overwhelming love of God, when we behold His beauty, our hearts can only respond, 'We adore You, O Christ, and we bless You, because by Your holy cross You have Your holy cross You have redeemed the world.' His love for us is why we sing... it is the only reason why we sing."

Proverbs says... The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom and holiness; an aspect of it is very useful, it makes you aware of our need of His "Divine Mercy" and love. Please find time to join us.

FREE AND OPEN TO ALL

New Update

Crippled Children & Adult Society
Available to all residents of
Farmer, Mark, Milford, and Hicksville Twp.
AT NO CHARGE!

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| Wheel Chairs | Canes | Bed Tables |
| Walkers | Crutches | Shower Benches |
| Rollators | Commodes | Other Aids |

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

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| 419-670-5980 Hal Osmun | 419-980-2410 Bill Elwood |
| 419-670-3743 Tom Battershell, Pres | 419-658-2787 Claren Osmun |
| 419-487-1166 Bruce Guilford | 260-452-9231 John Gordon |
| 419-542-8648 Robert Breisinger | 419-551-1267 Rex Ford |
| 419-542-7870 Frank Hostetler | 419-487-0163 Eric Crall |
| 419-769-2424 Nancy Chapman | 419-487-2672 Brandy Saylor |
| 419-542-8846 Carl Clark | 419-542-9000 Denise Sutter, Treas |
| 260-980-0747 Dale Schreck | 419-487-2836 Randy Diehl |
| | 419-487-1832 Lee Ann Blair |

Jill McCormack, Secretary, 419-769-5561

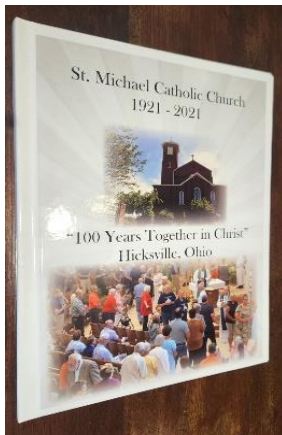
Donations can be mailed to: CCAS, Inc. PO Box 154, Hicksville, Ohio 43526

Extra Parish Directories

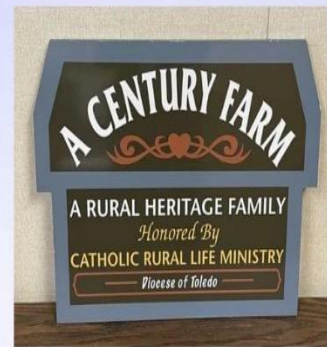
If you did not get one of these beautiful compilations of our parish family there are copies available at the main entrance.

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.



2024 Century Farm Award Applications Available



Catholic Charities is now accepting applications for Century Farm Awards. This award designation honors Catholic families who have maintained a farm or homestead within their family for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo, emphasizing well-preserved working farms.

Applicants must submit a registration form, copies of old deeds, and pictures to support claims. The information submitted must show family residence and ownership of a farm for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo.

Applications should be submitted no later than Friday, October 4, 2024.

Bishop Daniel E. Thomas will celebrate a Mass honoring Century Farm Award recipients at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 66 Chapel Street, Monroeville, Ohio 44847.

For more information or to request the registration form, please contact: Paula J. Kidney at (419) 214-4898 or email: pkidney@toledodiocese.org

Cedar Point

DIOCESE OF TOLEDO

YOUTH, FAMILY & ACCESSIBILITY DAY

SUNDAY | JULY 28

10AM MASS IN THE PARK

LOCATED IN THE LAKESIDE PAVILION

FIRST 100 MASS ATTENDEES WILL RECEIVE FREE DIOCESAN SWAG TO WEAR IN THE PARK!

Add A Day For Just \$25 More!

After your event at Cedar Point, return for **MORE FUN!** Keep your original event ticket to purchase a second day for just **\$25**.

Return visit tickets must be purchased within 10 days following your event by using the log-in information below. Offer not available at front gate.

Use your return ticket to visit Cedar Point or Cedar Point Shores Waterpark any one day during our 2024 operating season.

Apply July 28th Ticket to a Season Pass

For a credit toward a season pass, go to Guest Services on July 28th. You can get the admission value of the ticket credited towards the purchase of the season pass. This needs done on July 28th. Guest services will answer any questions you may have.

Tickets are only \$37.12

To Purchase Single Day July 28th Ticket at Discount

Visit: cedarpoint.com/save

UserName: CPTDIOCESE

Password: tdiocese

To Purchase Return Ticket at Discount

Visit: cedarpoint.com/save

UserName: CPMAYERICK

Password: returnvisit



A PILGRIMAGE

TO MARK THIS YEAR OF GOING OUT ON MISSION DURING THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL



THE CATHOLIC BISHOPS OF OHIO INVITE ALL THE FAITHFUL

To Make a Pilgrimage to the Basilica & National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey

Join the bishops, priests, deacons, consecrated religious and lay faithful from across the state to celebrate the Vigil of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary **Wednesday, Aug. 14, 2024**, beginning at 9 p.m. for a candlelight rosary procession with the Miraculous Statue of Our Lady of Consolation from the Basilica Shrine to the Shrine Park followed by Holy Mass at the outdoor Altar in the Shrine Park.

Toledo Bishop Daniel E. Thomas, Celebrant
Columbus Bishop Earl K. Fernandes, Homilist



FOR MORE INFORMATION, WWW.OHIOCATHCONF.ORG