



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**

September 15, 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 8:45am

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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Edgerton Office

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260-466-9741

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419-542-6473

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419-670-1855

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Knights of Columbus Grand Knight /Jim Siler

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Music Director / Joy Martin

419-438-2516

Liturgies & Calendar



24th Sunday In Ordinary Time September 15, 2024

E B	Sat	<i>Sept 14</i>	4:00pm 6:00pm	<i>Witek Mazur</i> Regina Sparks
E H	Sun	<i>Sept 15</i>	8:30am 10:30am	Merilyn Balogh <i>Wilford & Mary Osborn</i>
B	Mon	Sept 16	8:30am	NO MASS
E	Tues	Sept 17	6:00pm	Darrell Osmun
H	Wed	<i>Sept 18</i>	8:30am	<i>Arlene Billman & Mary Lou Slusher</i>
E	Thurs	Sept 19	8:45am	John Taylor
H	Fri	<i>Sept 20</i>	8:30am	** People of the Parish
H B	Sat	<i>Sept 21</i>	4:00pm 6:00pm	<i>Mike Kenner</i> Leo Muehlfeld
E H	Sun	<i>Sept 22</i>	8:30am 10:30am	Linda Stewart <i>Marney Shaffer</i>

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>.

Come & Visit Jesus ~ The door are open!
Come & sit with Jesus on Thursdays –
Adoration from 8am-7pm.

A Family Perspective ~ September 15^h – 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ If we want to be happy at home we must commit (“lose ourselves”) to our family. If we try to be independent from others (“save ourselves”) we end up lonely and alone. Happiness is found in commitments. The gospel is true: **We save our life by losing it!**



UPDATE

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

Ministries Schedule for Saturday, September 21, 2024 @ 4:00pm

Servers: Alex & Clara Harris
Ushers: Dan Vetter, Mike Firestine
Lector: Tony Nieuwlandt
Ordinary Minister: Deacon Rod Conkle
Extraordinary Ministers: Dale & Carolyn Gallup, Leif Kurtz
Offertory: The Franciscans
Greeter: Kim White

Ministries Schedule for Sunday, September 22, 2024 @ 10:30am

Servers: Noah & Trinity Campbell
Ushers: Andrew Baumgartner, Mike Meyer
Lector: Steph Mazur
Ordinary Minister: Deacon John Kromer
Extraordinary Ministers: Ed Mendez, Russ & Cindy Pierce, Brian Amstutz, Eric Art
Offertory: Andrew & Ashlee Baumgartner
Greeters: Bob & Roxie Timbrook

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

SEPTEMBER MONEY COUNTERS:

Shelia Bassett, Joan Linder
Dale Gallup

SEPTEMBER MONEY COLLECTORS:

Sundays ~ Jim Siler
Saturdays ~ Leesa Battershell

The Altar Rosary Society
will be hosting the
September soup and sandwich suppers,
September 14th and 15th,
after Mass!



Looking for gently used couches & beanbag chairs for our Youth Group. Free is our favorite!

I am excited to announce that we are creating a youth space in the Upper Room. We are looking for couches, loveseats, pillows and beanbags. Please contact me if you would like to donate! Smoke free and pet hair free are appreciated in case of allergies!

Thank You!
Paula Campbell
321-427-9526



This Week's Pro-Life Sentiment

**Ohio March For Life Columbus, Ohio
October 4, 2024**

Come Show Your Support For Life

There will be an Ohio March for Life in Columbus again this year on **Friday, October 4, 2024**. It is sponsored by Center for Christian Virtue and will be held at the Ohio Statehouse in Columbus. Pre-Rally Concert begins 10a.m.; Rally starts 11 a.m.; March for Life beginning at noon. Henry Co. Right to Life has a bus for the day leaving from Sacred Heart New Bavaria parking lot at 7 am and Ottawa Walmart 7:15 am and will return approximately 6-7 p.m. **The cost is \$40 for adults \$20 for students and is due Sept 20, 2024**. Call or text 419-231-2994 for questions or to make your reservation. *Invite your friends and bring your students to speak for those who can't!*

➤ **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. 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 or 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.

This years St. Mike's Youth Group will meet on the 2nd & 4th Sundays of each month from 5pm - 7pm in the JP11 room.

Youth NEWS AND EVENTS

Our programming this year will be

LIFE TEEN

The purpose of the Life Teen Program is to create an environment that leads high school teenagers into a relationship with God through spiritual, educational, emotional, and social experiences.

Dinner will be provided. Everyone is welcome - Feel free to bring your friends! Bring your bible if you have one! Attendance every week is not required - Come when you can!

Any questions, call Paula Campbell, 321-427-9526



Tuesday, September 24, Day trip

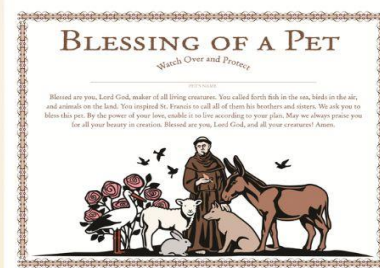
Our Lady, Patroness of America Center and Oratory of the Holy Family, Rome City, IN.

Come and join us as we visit Kneipp Springs, Rome City, Indiana and learn about Our Lady, the Immaculate Virgin Patroness of America. We will learn about the history of the property and the many miracles of the water from the springs there.

St. Michael will meet in the parking lot at 8:00am on Tuesday, September, 24, then proceed to St. Mary's, park in the front or side of Church (School is in session). We will depart from there. We encourage car pooling!

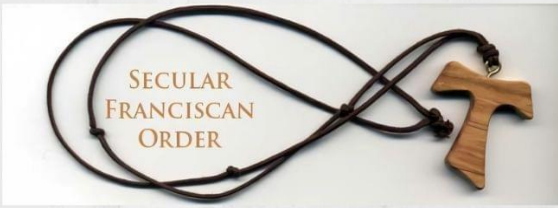
Fr. Dan will have mass at the Oratory around 10:00 am, followed by a guided tour, from 11:00 - 12:30am. We will then eat across the street, then depart. Anyone is welcome on this day, filled with spiritual food for all! Come and learn more about Our Lady.

Please sign up on sheets at the entrance of Church, text or email, Deacon Rod, 419-542-6473 of rodconkle@live.com



The Secular Franciscan Order and St. Michael Parish will hold a Blessing of the Animals to honor the feast day of Saint Francis, Oct. 4, Friday, 5:00pm in the parking lot. Our animal companions give great joy to our lives and are a blessing from God. Bring your pets and animal friends to receive God's blessing on the special day.





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.

Consecration of the Election to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mary Immaculate, living tabernacle of the Divinity, where the eternal Wisdom lies hidden to be adored and served by angels and men, Queen of Heaven and Earth, beneath whose sway are subject all things that are lower than God, Patroness of the United States of America, sorrowful and mindful of our own sinfulness and the sins of our nation, we come to thee, our refuge and hope.

Knowing that our country cannot be saved by our own works and mindful of how much our nation has departed from the ways of thy Son, we humbly ask that thou wouldst turn thine eyes upon our country to bring about its conversion. We consecrate to thee the integrity of the upcoming election and its outcome, so that what is spiritually and morally best for the citizens of our country may be accomplished, and that all of those who are elected would govern according to the spiritual and moral principles which will bring our nation into conformity with the teachings of thy Son.

Give grace to the citizens of this land so that they will choose leaders according to the Sacred Heart of thy Son, that His glory may be made manifest, lest we be given the leaders we deserve. Trusting in the providential care of God the Father and thy maternal care, we have perfect confidence that thou wilt take care of us and will not leave us forsaken. O Mary Immaculate, pray for us. Amen.



Have YOU Thought About BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Do you know of someone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?

Everyone is welcome to attend! Those who want to learn more and those who may want to join our Church family.

Our RCIA program is a great way to strengthen your knowledge of the true teachings of our Catholic Church.

New classes will be forming soon. Please contact the office 419-542-8202 or Father Dan directly, 419-231-3628 to sign up!

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!

➤ **St. Mary Fall Festival: Mark your calendar – Sunday, September 29, 2024!** We are once again making plans to have our annual Fall Festival. We will be preparing and serving our mouth-watering Chicken and Ham Dinner Drive-thru style again this year. We will be serving meals from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. from the fire lane on the south side of the church basement.

"Saint Michael's Adult Choir sings and leads music for Mass one weekend each month, usually during the school year. We will start this year's practices on Wednesday, September 4th at 5:00 pm in the church. We will practice every Wednesday starting at 5 PM. This is a change from the previous years' start time.

Choir practices last one hour. We try to start right on time, so arriving a few minutes early is always a good idea. Anyone who loves to sing, loves the music we sing at Mass and/or is interested in playing an instrument or any type of percussion in the choir, please contact Music Director Joy Martin at 260-438-2516 or just show up on Wednesday, September 4 at 5 PM.



If you're not sure what you might want to do—just show up. You'd be surprised what you can learn and how much fun we have together. Please join us in prayer, praise, and worship. Remember when you sing, you prayer twice."

27th Annual Fall Banquet

October 14, 2024

Keynote by
Jim Caviezel, Actor

Celebrating 50 years
1974-2024



Fort Wayne, Ind.- Right to Life of Northeast Indiana is pleased to announce that Actor Jim Caviezel will be the keynote speaker at their Fall Banquet on **October 14 at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum**. The actor is famous for roles in films and television including "*The Passion of the Christ*" and "*Sound of Freedom*." Tables for this event are now on sale and available

at <https://www.ichooselife.org/.../uniting-our-county-for...> or by contacting the Right to Life office at 260-471-1849. Individual tickets will go on sale in July if available.

Event: The Fall Banquet

Who: Jim Caviezel will keynote the event with expected record-breaking attendance.

When: **Mon., Oct. 14, 2024**. Program starts at **6:30 p.m.**

Location: The Allen County War Memorial Coliseum, 4000 Parnell Ave, Fort Wayne, IN 46805

2024 PATRONAL FEAST OF

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

Kindly join Bishop Daniel E. Thomas in welcoming Archbishop Emeritus of Hartford and former Bishop of Toledo Leonard P. Blair as principal celebrant and homilist



Join In Preparation

SEPT. 28 - OCT. 6:
Pray a Rosary Novena
in preparation
for the Feast Day

Join In Celebration

MONDAY, OCT. 7, 2024:
6:30 p.m.: Holy Rosary led
by Archbishop Emeritus Blair,
Bishop Thomas and
a family of a parish
7:00 p.m.: Holy Mass,
Archbishop Blair,
guest celebrant and homilist;
and Bishop Thomas,
concelebrant

OUR LADY, QUEEN OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY CATHEDRAL

2535 Collingwood Blvd., Toledo

Monday, Oct. 7

6:30 p.m. Holy Rosary

7:00 p.m. Feast Day Mass



Diocese
of Toledo

TO REGISTER FOR THE NOVENA VISIT WWW.TOLEDOPRAYS.ORG

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

HOLY HOUR FOR life



Join us at St. Mary Parish in Tiffin for a Holy Hour for Life followed by a talk from Fr. Matt Rader, food, music and fellowship.

WHEN: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

5:30PM Eucharistic Adoration

6:00PM Talk on healing after abortion by Fr. Matt Rader

6:30PM Food, fellowship, and music

WHERE: ST. MARY PARISH, TIFFIN

85 S. Sandusky St, Tiffin, OH 44883

CONTACT: 419-447-2087

or email tfry@stmarychurch.com for RSVPs or questions

This event is a joint effort between the Office for Life & Justice of the Diocese of Toledo and St. Mary Parish. Food will be provided by Tiffin Right to Life. Music will be provided by Nick De La Torre.

38th Annual Steps for Life Walkathon & 5K Run

Presented by CPC Women's Health Resource

FREE Family Activities from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

There will be a bounce house, pumpkin painting, pumpkin weight guess, cornhole, face painting, music, and more.

FREE Group Walk at 10 a.m.

Bring your friends and family to take "Steps for Life"! Walkers are encouraged to collect donations for CPC leading up to the event. There will be prizes for top fundraisers.

\$25 5K Run at 10 a.m.

Includes t-shirt. There will be prizes for race winners.



Saturday, September 28th
@ the Bryan CPC (1410 W. High St.)

The event will also feature \$1 drawing prizes, breakfast concessions, and a homemade pie auction.

For more information or to register, call (419) 636-5692 or scan the QR code to visit our website.



This fundraiser supports the CPC Women's Health Resource, sharing the Gospel and serving families since 1986
Bryan 1410 W. High St. - Defiance 1997 N. Clinton St. - Wauseon 1499 N. Glenwood Ave. - Napoleon 1801 Oakwood Ave.

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



The Bryan Knights of Columbus Council 1915

will be holding a golf outing on September 28 at Patriot Hills golf course.

This is a two person scramble and you can build your own team. Tee time is at 9 AM and it is open to the public.

Contact Jeff at 567-239-1106 or Jose at 419-551-7519. There are many prizes for all!



~~ DAILY READINGS ~~

MON, SEPT 16, 2024:

1 Cor 11:17-26, 33
Lk 7:1-10

Wed, SEPT 18, 2024:

1 Cor 12:31-13:13
Lk 7:31-35

Fri, SEPT 20, 2024:

1 COR 15:12-20
Lk 8:1-3

SUN, SEPT 22, 2024:

Wis 2:12, 17-20
Jas 3:16—4:3
Mk 9:30-37

TUES, SEPT 17, 2024:

1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a
Lk 7:11-17

Thurs, SEPT 19, 2024:

1 COR 15:1-11
LK 7:36-50

Sat, SEPT 21, 2024:

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13
Mt 9:9-13

ADORATION
at the Ohio Statehouse

Gov. Thomas Worthington Center
Tuesday, October 1st
10 am - 2 pm

ohiocathconf.org/adoration



St. Augustine 24th Annual TURTLEFEST

SEPTEMBER 20th & 21st

Church Grounds ~ 726 Monroe Street, Napoleon, OH

FRIDAY

Events: 6:00p.m.-Midnight

Featuring Live Music from "Vinyl on Tap"



SATURDAY

Mass in Church: 4:30p.m.

Events: 5:30p.m.-Midnight

Featuring Live Music from "Venyx"

Burgers, Hotdogs, Hungarian Hotdog Sauce, Egg Rolls,
Ice Cream & more food!

ADMISSION IS FREE & EVERYONE IS WELCOME

- Jewelry Sale
- Mexican Food
- Kid's Zone
- Silent Auction
- Adult Beverages
- Soft Drinks
- Sweet Treat Shop
- Country Store
- Basket Raffle
- Big Ticket Raffle
- World Famous French Fries
- Kiddie Tractor Pull
- Drawing
- Inflatables



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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, Pres
419-487-1166 Bruce Guilford
419-542-8648 Robert Breisinger
419-542-7870 Frank Hostetler
419-769-2424 Nancy Chapman
419-542-8846 Carl Clark
260-980-0747 Dale Schreck

419-980-2410 Bill Elwood
419-658-2787 Claren Osmun
260-452-9231 John Gordon
419-551-1267 Rex Ford
419-487-0163 Eric Crall
419-487-2672 Brandy Saylor
419-542-9000 Denise Sutter, Treas
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

This week's Ministry Spotlight ~

Soup & Sandwich Meals– Following Masses on the weekend of the 2nd Sunday after both Masses (even if it's not the 2nd Saturday), join us for a meal and fun in the basement. Meals are provided by various groups of the Parish and are free. It's just a social time to get to know other parishioners. If you'd like to volunteer yourself or your group to cook a meal, please contact Diane Collins at 419-487-1297.

Ecce YOUNG ADULT CHOIR

beauty. will. save. the. world

Who We Are

An acapella choir of Catholic young adults from all across Northeast Indiana and Northwest Ohio, est. 2017.

The Mission

To boldly proclaim the Gospel message by the beauty of the music we sing, the splendor of the truths we teach, the authenticity of our friendship, and the witness of our lives.

The Passion

Sacred choral music: ancient, contemporary, and every century between.

Join Us

Email Jessica Schuster, Director: jessica.schuster.155@gmail.com before September 18th to audition for our fall choir season! To audition, you must be a practicing Catholic 18-30 years old and proficient in reading music.

Hear Us

Check out our YouTube Concert!
Never Alone: A Concert of Sacred Music



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 _____



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