

St. Mary 312 Clark St. Hollidaysburg, PA 16648

#### Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM Sunday: 7:30 and 10:00 AM, Daily and Holy Days: See inside

Administrative Assistant: Ethel Cunningham 814-695-0622

Parish website: www.webparish.com/aj/saintmarys

#### Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vig<mark>il: 5:00 PM</mark> Sunday: 7:30, 10:00 and 11:30 AM. Daily and H<mark>oly</mark> Days: See inside

Parish Administration: Janet Klingbeil 814-695-0912 or 814-207-1479

Parish website: www.stmichael-hldg-pa.org

# St. Mary & St. Michael Parishes

Pastor/Administrator Very Reverend Alan E. Thomas, VG 814-695-0912 or Email athomas@dioceseaj.org

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# 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time August 29, 2021

## **Saint Mary Parish**

#### **Confessions:**

Saturday: 2:30 to 3:30 PM Thursday: 4:00 PM before First Friday In our Social Hall

Director of Religious Ed.: Sue Teske 814-695-0912

Parish Email: stmaryhburg@dioceseaj.org

## Saint Michael Parish

#### **Confessions:**

Saturdays at 1:00 to 2:00 PM Inside the church hall; please use Montgomery St. stairwell entrance.

Director of Religious Ed.: Sue Teske 814-695-0912 or 81<mark>4-934-218</mark>0

Parish Email: stmichaelhburg@dioceseaj.org



St. Michael The Archangel Parish 301 Spruce St. Hollidaysburg, PA 16648

Office Phone Number and Hours: Office: 814-695-0622 Fax: 814-696-9609 Mon. to Thursday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Director of Music: Ms. Anna Podoletz

Cemetery: Call Carol 814-695-9798

Office Phone Number and Hours: Office: 814-695-0912 Fax: 814-693-9820 Monday to Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Music Coordinator: Tom Kunkle 814-312-3897

Greenlawn Cemetery: Call Tom 814-695-2546

**Parishioner Registration:** If you would like to join the parish, please contact the rectory/church office. Please remember to notify us if you move or will be moving out of the parish. Registration, the practice of stewardship, and regular participation in the Sacraments indicate that a person is an active member of the parish and is eligible to act as a godparent or sponsor. As a Church community seeking to be faith-filled disciples and good stewards, the sacrifice of our time, talent and treasure is essential for the common good.

**Baptism & Marriage:** Call the church office to schedule an appointment. 2 weeks notice requested for Baptism. 9 months notice required for Marriage. Christian Initiation: Interested in becoming a member of the Catholic faith? Contact the parish office. Classes normally begin in the Fall

Holy Trinity Catholic School: Hollidaysburg 814-695-6112, Altoona 814-381-7011, Middle School 814-942-7835 Holy Trinity Catholic School Website: www.holytrinitycatholic.school

Youth group Director: Tim Baranik 814-207-7008

**Bulletin Deadline:** The deadline to have information considered for publication in the bulletin is noon Tuesday prior to the weekend of the announcement. Mail or email the information to the church office.

# No You Recognize

Jesus in your midst? Is your heart burning within you? Think about the possibility of walking the path with Jesus as a priest or brother.

Families and the Gospel In today's gospel, Jesus warns, "what comes from within can defile" a person. Families need to worry about "outside influences" but also about "inside influences."

The values our children carry for a lifetime are learned at home. Habits of the Heart are the most powerful influences on a child. That is the good news! That can also be the bad news!

#### **H**omemade Italian Dinner On Sunday, September 12th, St. Joseph Parish, Williamsburg will be hosting our delicious Homemade Italian Dinner of lasagna, spaghetti, meatballs, salad & dessert.

Meals are carry-out only and tickets (\$11.00) must be purchased in advance.

For tickets call: 814-599-1196 814-414-6285 814-832-2314

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St. Joseph Church, Bellwood Welcome all Pilgrims!

**Thursday, September 9th,** Confessions at 5:00 PM Mass at 6:00 PM Fr. David Roesch, guest celebrant.

**Friday, September 10th,** Confessions at 5:00 PM Mass at 6:00 PM Fr. Alan Thomas, guest celebrant.

Saturday, September 11th, Confessions at 3:30 PM



Mass at 4:00 PM Bishop Mark, main celebrant.

#### Sunday, September 12th,

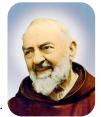
Mass at 9:00 AM Outdoor at Shrine of St. Joseph Fr. Jozef Kovacik, Pastor is celebrant.

St. Joseph Table Social to follow.

# The Windber Catholic Parishes

invites you to venerate three First Class Relics of St. Padre Pio.

The relics will be at St. Anthony of Padua Church, Windber, on Tuesday, September 14th, 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM.



# **∧** *i*ke Aquilina

**IVI** is the award-winning author of more than fifty books on Catholic history, doctrine, and devotion.

His works have been translated into many languages. He has hosted eleven television series and several documentary films and is a frequent guest on Catholic radio.

He will be speaking at Our Mother of Sorrows Church, Johnstown, August 30th at 7:00 PM.

Mr. Aquilina will speak primarily on his book St. Joseph and His World. In this Year of St. Joseph, join us for this fascinating talk!

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Bulletins and Worship Aids are available. Please ask a Hospitality Minister for a copy.

#### MASS SCHEDULE FOR ST. MICHAEL AND ST. MARY PARISHES

DATE	DAY	TIME	PARISH		INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
08/28	SAT	4:00 PM	St. Mary	ት	Carles and Shelley Families	Kathleen Mckenna
		5:00 PM	St. Michael	ዮ	Dave Mason	Greg & Lisa Michelone
		7:30 AM	St. Mary	ት	Adelaide Beldin	Doreen & Jim Zupon
		7:30 AM	St. Michael	ት	Paul Plummer	His family
08/29	SUN	10:00 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	P. Francis Madden	K of C Star of the Sea Council 4245
		10:00 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Matthew Culp	Marty, Dale & Rebecca Culp
		11:30 AM	St. Michael		The People of the Parishes	Pastor
08/30	MON	7:45 AM	St. Michael	Ŷ	Guy Luciano	His daughter, Anita Carvalho
08/31	TUES	7:45 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Phil Baker	The Burger Family
09/01	WED	6:30 PM	St. Mary	ዮ	Donna Helfrich	Husband, Jim
09/02	THURS	7:45 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Sam Wilt	Wife, Ginger
09/03	FRI	7:45 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	Lois Mielnik	Her husband, Ray
2:30 PM St. Michael S William Ward and Ehrin K		William Ward and Ehrin Kelley Nupt				
09/04	SAT	4:00 PM	St. Mary	ዮ	Charles Koehle	Jean Koehle
		5:00 PM	St. Michael	ዮ	Ernest Tomassetti	Wally & Connie Tomassetti
		7:30 AM	St. Mary	Ŷ	Donald Figurelli	George & Liz Figurelli Risbon
	SUN	7:30 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Joe Veller (birthday rem.)	His wife, Connie
09/05		10:00 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	Kevin Canole	Tom Burkholder
		10:00 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Peter Dannenberg	The Pontzer family
		11:30 AM	St. Michael		The People of the Parishes	Pastor

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Stewardship of Time and Talent - Liturgical Appointment Schedule - Aug. 28th and 29th						
	READER 2 Needed	EMHC * 2 Needed	ALTAR SERVER 2 Needed	HOSPITALITY 3 needed	SACRISTAN 1 Needed	AUDIO TECH 3 Needed
<b>St. Mary</b> Sat. 8/28 <b>4:00 PM</b>	Joseph Hurd - 1st Dave McGarvey - 2nd	Bruno Felus Carol Hallberg	Grace Muriceak Claire Muriceak	Rick Pulcino Meagan James Jodie Feath		
<b>St. Michael</b> Sat. 8/28 <b>5:00 PM</b>	Lisa Michelone (1) Carole Swope (2)	NOT FILLED Don Straub	Marco Swope NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED Lisa Michelone NOT FILLED	Alan Curtis	Janet Klingbeil NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
<b>St. Mary</b> Sun. 8/29 <b>7:30 AM</b>	Beverly Buterbaugh - 1st Claudia Montero - 2nd	Ken Brumbaugh Robert Moore	Layna Henry Isabella Pietrolungo	Ray Gregorchik Daniel Norris		
<b>St. Michael</b> Sun. 8/29 <b>7:30 AM</b>	Michael Schlechter (1) Bob Anthony (2)	Vernon Litzinger Mary Ann Litzinger	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Tom Baker Raymond Baker <b>NOT FILLED</b>	Scott & Deb Claar	John Elder NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
<b>St. Mary</b> Sun. 8/29 <b>10:00 AM</b>	Claudia Montero - 1st Keila Whittington - 2nd	David Madden Dee Popp	Matthew McMullen Julia Wesner	Dottie Gonsman Michael Moran Kathy Moran		
<b>St. Michael</b> Sun. 8/29 <b>10:00 AM</b>	Dale Culp (1) Marty Culp (2)	Joe Pompa NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Joe Harteis Greg Olsavick Joe Dodson	Rita Pompa	Barry Craig Leigh Ann Craig <b>NOT FILLED</b>
<b>St. Michael</b> Sun. 8/29 <b>11:30 AM</b>	Doug Stoehr (1) Debbie Sault (2)	Ginny Harrington Rob Walter	Rylee Swander NOT FILLED	Peggy Claycomb NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Mel & Patty Link	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
St. Michael Weekday Sacristan (August 30th to September 4th): Pat Gildea						

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# \*The Deacon will be ordinary minister of communion, if he is present.

Stewardship of Time and Talent - Liturgical Appointment Schedule - Sept. 4th and 5th						
	READER 2 Needed	EMHC * 2 Needed	ALTAR SERVER 2 Needed	HOSPITALITY 3 needed	SACRISTAN 1 Needed	AUDIO TECH 3 Needed
<b>St. Mary</b> Sat. 9/04 <b>4:00 PM</b>	Regina Lawruk - 1st Carol Hallberg - 2nd	Richard Books Michael Mollish	Grace Muriceak Claire Muriceak	Michael Johnston Chris Johnston Rick Pulcino		
<b>St. Michael</b> Sat. 9/04 <b>5:00 PM</b>	Julia Burke (1) Carole Swope (2)	NOT FILLED Sue Teske	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
St. Mary Sun. 9/05 7:30 AM	Susan Painter - 1st Claudia Montero - 2nd	Kay Benton Shawn Sullivan	Rachel Musselman Adam Musselman	Ray Gregorchik Daniel Norris		
St. Michael Sun. 9/05 7:30 AM	Becky Stevens (1) Michael Schlechter (2)	Bob Anthony Kathy Balconi	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Tom Baker Raymond Baker Anita Carvalho	Scott & Deb Claar	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
<b>St. Mary</b> Sun. 9/05 <b>10:00 AM</b>	Connie Curfman - 1st Rachel Sleeth - 2nd	Beverly Buterbaugh James Popp	Julia Wesner	Dottie Gonsman Michael Moran Kathy Moran		
St. Michael Sun. 9/05 10:00 AM	Anna McClain (1) Lisa Georgiana (2)	Lisa Georgiana Rita Pompa	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Joe Harteis Terry Wilt Rebecca Culp	Rita Pompa	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
<b>St. Michael</b> Sun. 9/05 <b>11:30 AM</b>	Francine Boland (1) Doug Stoehr (2)	Ginny Harrington Eva Pope	Rylee Swander NOT FILLED	Peggy Claycomb NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Andy Weyant	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
	St. Michael Weekday Sacristan (September 6th to 11th): Ramona Shrift					

#### **Stewardship Opportunity**

We are always in need of more volunteers to serve as Ministers of Hospitality, Sacristans (weekend and weekday), Readers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Altar Servers and Sound and Video Technicians *(St. Michael parish)*. Please give prayerful consideration to any of these ministries and let us know how you can serve.

Instruction and training will be provided.





#### Stewardship Reflection There is a potential opportunity

every Sunday for us to increase our understanding and wisdom in what it means to live a stewardship way of life. Our focus as Catholics should be on eternal life, not on the particulars of the life we experience on earth.

That does not mean that we do not strive to live holy lives and we do not commit ourselves to lives of service and love. Just as Moses addresses the hypocrites and their practice of faith, James, too, reminds us that what we do is more important than merely giving a show of faith: "Be doers of the Word, and not hearers only."

Jesus calls the elders hypocrites and points out to them how their priorities are out of order and that they need (and we do, also) to be more concerned about cleansing their hearts than their hands. One of the adages associated with stewardship is that we need to "possess loosely." That includes some of the traditions to which we may cling. (Stewardship Reflection, Catholic Stewardship Consultants, Inc. 2015/08/12)

Saint Mary's Parish Stewardship of Treasure			
\$5178.00	Offertory Collection		
10.00	<b>-</b> · · · ·		

40.00	Capital Improvement
70.00	Assumption
5.00	Catholic University
102.00	Votive Candles
386.00	Loose
12.00	Children

Thank You For Your Generosity And Faithful Stewardship

## St. Joseph Mission Church

Shrine at Hart's Sleeping Place. All are welcome!

St. Joseph Mission Church Shrine will be open on September 5th, from 12 Noon to 3:00 PM for the final self-guided tour day.

On Saturday, October 9th, please come back to celebrate Mass at 4:00 PM with Bishop Mark for the 191st Anniversary of the Dedication of the Church by Servant of God, Demetrius Gallitzin.

Directions and full history can be found on the website: www.sjmc1830.com

Saint Mary's Ladies Guild Meeting September 1st, in Social Hall at 7:00 PM. All women are invited.

#### **D**on't Forget! Religious Education and Faith Formation Classes will begin September 12th.

If you have not registered your child please do so this week!

All students in pre K -11th grade will be meeting from 8:45 to 9:45 AM

If your child attends Holy Trinity or Bishop Guilfoyle we ask that you register them as well, and you will be sent a schedule for when they will be meeting with the other students.

Visit: stmichael-hldg-pa.org/ religious-education

## Catholic Men's Conference

During this year of St. Joseph, Holy Name Parish in Ebensburg, PA will host a Catholic Men's Conference on Saturday, Sept. 11th, from 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM.

Bas Rutten will be the headline speaker. Bas Rutten is a movie and television star, as well as a former Mixed Martial Arts Champion. In recent years he has found his way back to the Catholic Faith and speaks to different groups about his faith journey.

The day will include talks from Bas, Eucharistic Adoration, opportunity for confession, and more. All men ages 18 and older can purchase a ticket by calling Holy Name Parish office at 814-472-7244. Tickets must be purchased in advance and are \$20; lunch will be provided.

We pray that St. Joseph will continue to intercede for all of us, especially men to be strong husbands, fathers, sons, deacons, priests and servants of Our Lord.

If you have questions please call Lori Bender or Fr. Brian Warchola 814-472-7244.

**40 Hours Devotion** A devotional prayer centered around Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held at Our Lady of the Alleghenies Church in Lilly (608 Main Street) on Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday - September 12th, 13th and 14th.

A Devotional Service will begin each evening at 7:00 PM with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament during the day. Everyone is welcome to attend!

## **R**emembering the Attack on Our Nation

Honoring: fire, police, military, medical and religious personnel on the twenty anniversary of 911. September 11th at 7:00 PM, Jaffa Shrine Center, Altoona. Free tickets available at local merchants.

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your address or phone number? Call during office hours to update your church records.

## Patris Corde, 3. (With a Father's Heart)

## An Obedient Father, Faithful Servant

St. Joseph's total obedience as a faithful servant to God is evidenced by his immediate actions in response to the four dreams from an angel sent by God. Joseph must have had a very rich interior life in order for him to hear angels, dwell in silence, give way to Mary, live chastely with her, share nonphysical intimacy with her and abide in loving attentiveness to God. St. Joseph saw Jesus grow daily in wisdom and in years and in divine and human favor.

According to Saint John Paul II, "Saint Joseph was called by God to serve the person and mission of Jesus, directly through the exercise of his fatherhood" and that in this way, "he cooperated in the fullness of time in the great mystery of salvation and is truly a minister of salvation."

Living the virtue of obedience to God should be our goal too. As we complete this month of August 2021, honoring and recognizing St. Joseph's exemplary life of obedience and mission, let us participate in some Spiritual and Corporal of Mercy, including our meditations and prayers to St. Joseph. St. Joseph. obedient father, faithful servant, prav for us.

(Pope Francis Apostolic Letter Patris Corde, 2020, 3. Dec. 8, 2020; Saint John Paul II, Apostolic Exhortation Redemptoris Custos, 8. August 15, 1989). 2021, Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown Liturgy Committee, Liturgy Office, Mary, Mother of the Church Pastoral Center, 2713 W. Chestnut Avenue, Altoona, PA 16601.

### INTRODUCTION FOR TODAY'S READINGS

#### **Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Deuteronomy 4: 1-2, 6-8 - The book of Deuteronomy contains a lengthy farewell speech of Moses as the people prepared to enter the Promised Land. Moses makes it clear that they are expected to remain faithful to the Lord after they have settled in their new land.

James 1: 17-18, 21-22, 27 - Today and for the next four Sundays, we will read passages from the letter of James. Two points will be helpful background for today's passage. First: In the Jewish Law, the first fruits of the harvest belong to God. Second: In the Old Testament, widows and orphans were classic examples of poor and defenseless people.

#### Gospel Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS (Sept. 5) Isaiah 35: 4-7 James 2: 1-5 Gospel: Mark 7:31-37

#### Saint Leonard's Home

Our St. Joseph Table fundraiser, scheduled for September 11, 2021 is fast approaching and we want to share with you what we intend to do for this year's event. The virus is still affecting our efforts to gather and celebrate together. Therefore, this is our plan, and we hope you find some wisdom in our efforts.

We are going to have an in-person event, but we are also going to offer an option of a takeout meal with wine and our traditional cookie dessert to all who would like to purchase a ticket for this year's event. Our meal will be prepared by Taddei's Catering.

We are sorry if you are not able or comfortable enough vet to sit down with us but we are looking forward to greeting you and 'checking in' on our friends, family and benefactors. Know that we are praying for you and your families during this pandemic time. Our staff continues to work diligently to keep the residents safe and Covidfree. We need your continued prayers.

Through the intercession of Saint Joseph the Worker. may God grant us the wisdom to practice Covid preventive measures, safe distancing, care for one another and remain healthy servants to those in need.

Please complete and cut off portion below and return it with your check, made out to:

> St. Leonard's Home 601 N. Montgomery St. Hollidaysburg, PA 16648

≫ Tickets are \$30 per person and all tickets will be held at the door. ×

Date: September 11th **Location:** Legion Hall at Legion Park in Hollidaysburg

Time for Takeout: 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Time for Regular Event: 5:30 to 7:30 PM

Name:

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Address: -

Takeout Meals #

Regular Event #

I am unable to attend but please accept my donation of \$

Total Amount Due: \$

# 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Birth of Mary Celebration



Wednesday, September 8, 2021 Saint Catherine of Siena Shrine Old Rt. 22, Duncansville, PA 16635

7:15 a.m. Rosary in the Church 7:45 a.m. Mass in the Church 11:30 a.m. Outdoor Rosary at the Shrine 12:00 noon Outdoor Mass at the Shrine Please bring lawn chair 5:30 p.m. Outdoor Mass at the Shrine Please bring lawn chair Celebrant/Homilist: Msgr. Bob Saly Rosary Procession In the event of inclement weather, the outdoor Masses will be celebrated in the church. NO CONTINUOUS ROSARY, NO FOOD AND NO EXHIBITS Address petitions to: Birth of Mary Celebration, P.O. Box 88, Duncansville, PA 16635 Donations Welcome



## **Knights of Columbus**

The Fourth Degree Bishop Garvey Assembly will present a chalice in memory of Brother Sir Knights, called home by God.

The following Sir Knights will be memorialized by having their names engraved on the base of a chalice.

Christopher S. Gurekovich	Eugene P. Bettwy
Edward J. Eaton	Paul A. Plummer
Rev. Anthony J. Legarski	Thomas Matthews
Rev. Raymond G. Crosser	Philip Baker

Sir Knights Color Corps Assembly 916 will present the chalice for blessing at the Sunday, September 5th 7:30 AM Mass at St. Michael's Church.

The chalice will be donated to St. Michael the Archangel Parish. Each time the chalice is used for Mass, the deceased Knights are remembered in a special way.

Catholic Daughters of Americas Court #1755 is invited to this Mass, where their past chaplain, Rev. Anthony J. Legarski will be one of the Sir Knights honored.

# Humbly welcome the word that has been planted in you and is able to save your souls. James 1:21b

Tickets available during parish office hours. Ticket sellers are needed. Questions call K of C at 814-695-4752

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS • HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA

HELP US HELP YOU CHICKEN BBQ

Sunday, October 3rd, 2021 10 AM to 1 PM Knights of Columbus Hall, Hollidaysburg \$10.00 Take Out Only Proceeds benefit the parishes

#### Upcoming Events at St. Mary and St. Michael's Parishes

**Rosary** Every day after the 7:45 AM weekday Mass. Every Thursday at 6:00 PM outdoors at the shrine at St. Catherine's in Duncansville. (Rain location is St. Michael Church).

Sept. 3 - 8		St. Michael Parish Office Closed
Sept. 4	7:15 AM	Men's Fellowship Meeting - All men are welcome - St. Michael Church hall (basement of church)
Sept. 5	7:30 AM	Knights of Columbus Chalice presentation - at the 7:30 Am Mass at St. Michael Church
Sept. 9	6:30 PM	St. Mary Parish Council Meeting– Social Hall

Saint Michael's Parish Collection from August 22nd		
\$5,215.00	Envelope Collection	
191.00	Loose Collection	
60.00	Votive Candles	
60.00	Maintenance	
380.00	Religious Education Registration	
130.00	Missionary Collection for Twin Parish in Jamaica	
250.00	Assumption	
50.00	Peter Pence	
27.25	Catholic Relief - Rice Bowl	

Thank You For Your Generosity And Faithful Stewardship

## hank You!

Precious Life recently informed us that St. Michael Parishioners donated \$3,047.88 through their Baby Bottle Campaign!

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#### Christmas Angel Tree Project

Our St. Mary Parish family will once again be sponsoring our



"Christmas Angel Tree" as a way to assist families in need this Christmas season.

Any parishioner who would like to be on the committee, for this very rewarding project, please contact:

#### Shari Figurelli 814-330-9421 or Charlene Centar 814-696-0491.

This is also a great and rewarding way for students to obtain service hours.

If you are personally aware of a family that would benefit as an Angel Tree gift recipient, please complete an angel tree form showing the needs of each family. Forms will be available at each entrance on September 24th.

We ask that you put **YOUR NAME** on the form since you will be the contact person and the one to deliver the gifts to that family, but **ONLY INITIALS** of the family, that we will be helping, to protect their identity.

If you prefer, you may contact either Charlene Centar at 814-696-0491, or Shari Figurelli at 814-696-0108 to submit a family's requested needs.

ALL GIFT RECIPIENT FORMS MUST BE RETURNED BY SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17th

PLEASE PLACE FORMS IN ONE OF THE BOXES FOUND AT EACH ENTRANCE MARKED "ANGEL TREE FORMS" THANK YOU!

#### Build a birdhouse with Cub Scout Pack 3331

Cub Scouts is a fun program that helps your son learn to be a good citizen, have good character, and to be a healthy, self confident young adult.

Come to Cub Scout Pack 3331's Sign Up Night on August 30th at 6:30 PM at St. Mary's Church Social Hall in Hollidaysburg. Find out what Cub Scouts can do for your son and build a Bluebird box. We'll bring the hammers and bird box kits, you bring the FUN!

Cub Scouts has been a positive influence on boys for almost 90 years. Cub Scout pack 3331 is sponsored by St. Michael's Church and is open to boys in 1st through 5th grade.

Questions about Cub Scouts? Call Cubmaster Randy Kline at (814) 935-5926.





## $\star \star \star$ U.S. CONSTITUTION $\star \star \star$

Constitution Week is the commemoration of America's most important document. It is celebrated annually during the week of September 17-23.

The United States Constitution stands as a testament to the tenacity of Americans throughout history to maintain their liberties, freedoms and inalienable rights.

This celebration of the Constitution was started by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The aims of the Constitution Week celebration are to:

- ★ Emphasize citizens' responsibilities for protecting and defending the Constitution.
- ★ Inform people that the Constitution is the basis for America's great heritage and the foundation for our way of life.
- ★ Encourage the study of the historical events which led to the framing of the Constitution in September 1787.

Constitution Week is a great time to learn more about this important document and celebrate the freedoms it gave us.

Please offer prayers for our country and for those who protect us.



