

June 30, 2019

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

# ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH

301 SPRUCE STREET, HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA 16648



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## MISSION STATEMENT OF THE ST. MICHAEL FAITH COMMUNITY

Extending a rich parish heritage built upon the pioneering traditions of the first settlers of the Southern Allegheny mountains, St. Michael the Archangel Parish embraces as its mission the use of all available resources, both spiritual and temporal, to minister to the needs of the people of Hollidaysburg and its surrounding areas. We do this in a fashion which reflects the teachings and example of Jesus Christ, while promoting a tradition of liturgical excellence, strong support for Catholic education in all its varieties, and enlightened social outreach to the community at large, in union with both the Diocesan and Universal Church.

## MASSES

Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  
Daily & Holy Days: *See inside the Bulletin*

## CONFESSIONS

Regularly on Saturdays: 1:00 p.m. and Sundays: 7:30 a.m.

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Closed: Weekends, Holy Days and Holidays

## MARRIAGES & BAPTISMS

Call the church office to schedule an appointment.  
Nine month advance notice is normally required for marriage.

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

The deadline to have information considered for publication in the bulletin is 4:00 p.m. Tuesday prior to the weekend of the announcement. Mail or email the information to the church office.

## 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.

## CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Anyone interested in becoming a member of the Catholic faith should contact the parish office. New classes begin each Fall.

## INTRODUCTION FOR TODAY'S READINGS

**1 Kings 19:16b** Elijah lived about 800 years before Jesus, and was revered as the greatest prophet in Jewish history, even though he left no written records. In today's passage, he is nearing the end of his life, and God instructs him to anoint a successor.

**Galatians 5:1, 13-18** Some time after Paul had preached the Gospel in Galatia, other Christians came who insisted that to be a good Christian one also had to follow the Jewish law and be ritually circumcised. This caused great dissension in the Church there. In today's passage, Paul reaffirms their freedom from the law, and pleads for greater harmony.

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:** Isaiah 66:10-14c, 19-21 and Galatians 6:14 - 18; Gospel: Luke 10:1 - 12, 17 - 20

## DAILY MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS for June 30 - July 7

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>INTENTION</u>	<u>REQUESTED BY</u>
Sunday, June 30	8:30 a.m.	+ Pauline Helen Casciotti	by Bob & Maria Daski
	10:00 a.m.	For the People of the Parish	
	11:30 a.m.	+ Jeremiah Hill	by friends
Monday, July 1	7:45 a.m.	+ Dell & Audrey Sheftall	by the Burger Family
Tuesday, July 2	7:45 a.m.	+ Anita Jubas (Wedding Anniversary Remembrance)	by her husband; John and daughter; Maren Jubas
Wednesday, July 3	7:45 a.m.	+ Bob Keech	by Sharle Kirkham & Family
Thursday, July 4	7:45 a.m.	+ Joe Burger	by Tom & Judy Sutch
Friday, July 5	7:45 a.m.	Joan and + Louis Cala (Wedding Anniv. Remembrance)	by Louis & Alicia, Vicki & Tim & family, and Angelo & family
Saturday, July 6	No Morning Mass		
	5:00 p.m.	+ Jim Eget	by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Bonanno
Sunday, July 7	8:30 a.m.	+ Guy Luciano (Birthday Remembrance)	by his daughter; Anita
	10:00 a.m.	+ Henry & Angeline Mangiacarne	by their daughter; Joan Conroy
	11:30 a.m.	+ Vincent Stoehr (Anniversary Remembrance)	by Ron & Sandy Dick
	12:45 p.m. (Mass at Legion Park)	For the People of the Parish	

### ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL OUTDOOR FIELD MASS

Come and join us at the Hollidaysburg Legion Park  
**NEXT Sunday, July 7**  
for our Outdoor Field Mass and Annual Parish Picnic.  
Mass is at 12:45; picnic will follow around 1:30 PM

### ARISE! Together in Christ



**ARISE! Together in Christ** our parish-centered process of spiritual renewal and evangelization that invites people to develop a closer relationship with Christ, deepen their faith, grow in community, and reach out in service to others will be continuing **THIS FALL** here at St. Michael parish. No matter where participants are on their faith journey, they are attracted to the warm sense of welcome provided by the small-group setting, and the opportunities to meet Jesus Christ in scripture and explore faith's connection to daily life. The response from participants has been great. What about you? Are you ready to experience growth in your faith and deepen your relationship with Christ? Consider joining one of our small groups this fall. More details about Season 3 will be coming later this summer.

### STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

In today's Gospel, two disciples agreed to follow Jesus, but only on the condition that they first take care of what they needed to. They claimed that they had more important matters. May we remember that Jesus calls us to deepen our bond with God by sharing our time and talents with all families in the community, not only our own.

### LADIES GUILD MEETING



Our Parish Guild will be meeting **THIS Tuesday, July 2 at 1:00 PM** at the Allegheny Crepe and Creamery in Hollidaysburg. All ladies of the parish are invited to join them.

### OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK

Please note that the parish office will be closed **THIS Thursday, July 4.**

**SACRISTAN** (6/30 - 7/6/19): P. Gildea

**SCRIP** (7/7/19): T. Swander

**COFFEE/DONUT SOCIAL** (7/7/19): NO DONUTS; Parish Picnic

#### SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEKEND MASSES:

**Saturday, July 6 - 5:00 PM** Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Readers:** K. Stanko (1) & **available**

**Altar Servers:** W. Kordish & D. Kordish

**E. Min.:** R. Holzer, C. Storm & S. Teske

**Gift Bearers:** The N. Bauman Family

**Sunday, July 7 - 8:30 AM** Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Readers:** L. Gehret (1) & B. Stevens (2)

**Altar Servers:** N. Tyndall & C. Tyndall

**E. Min.:** B. Anthony, B. Codd & R. Stellabotte

**Gift Bearers:** The Vaniel Family

**Sunday, July 7 - 10:00 AM** Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Readers:** **available & available**

**Altar Servers:** Z. Manna & S. Manna

**E. Min.:** **available**, L. Craig & M. Schlechter

**Gift Bearers:** C. Weyant

**Sunday, July 7 - 11:30 AM** Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Readers:** L. Georgiana (1) & D. Sault (2)

**Altar Servers:** J. Roberts & B. Ventura

**E. Min.:** G. Harrington, J. Plummer & **available**

**Gift Bearers:** The Wilkinson Family

**Sunday, July 7 - 12:45 AM - Outdoor Field Mass at Legion Park**

**Reader:** M. Culp (1 & 2)

**Altar Servers:** **available & available**

**E. Min.:** R. Pompa, J. Pompa, T. Pompa

### ~~~~~ OUR GIFTS TO GOD ~~~~~

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**Sunday Offering** (6/23/19):

**\$8,094.00**

Sunday Envelopes:

\$7,593.00

Sunday Loose Collection:

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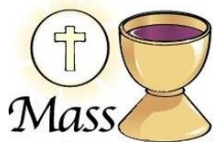
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**NEXT Sunday,  
July 7**

# St. Michael the Archangel Parish Outdoor Field Mass and Church Picnic

*Come and join us at the Hollidaysburg Legion Park*



## OUTDOOR FIELD MASS

We will celebrate Mass on the field across from the playpark, beginning at **12:45 PM**. Please bring a lawn chair or blanket.

## FUN ACTIVITIES FOR EVERYONE

**TAKE A CHANCE** - Pull-tab tickets and Cash Raffle tickets will be available. You may win one of several cash prizes!

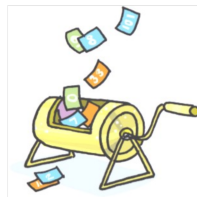
**FUN FOR THE KIDS!** - Crafts, guessing games and several kid's activities hosted by our parish Youth Group. **Come join the FUN!**

**AND MORE... including BINGO!**

You could also win one of our many baskets filled with a variety of wonderful items! You may buy chances for the baskets after Mass TODAY in the church hall and next week at the picnic.

## PICNIC LUNCH

Following the Field Mass, around **1:30 PM**, we will share food, laughter and great conversations. Our Men's Club and the Picnic Committee will provide sloppy joes, hotdogs, drinks and all the necessary paper products. **We are asking every family to bring an extra large side dish and/or dessert to share.**



**Looking forward to seeing you there!**

## **FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL**

In today's gospel Jesus left for Jerusalem. This was dangerous and His friends could not prevent Him because He was "resolutely determined." Family life is a series of leaving - letting-go for school, jobs, marriage and finally in death. We are able to let-go because we believe and anticipate we will be reunited again.

## **ST. ANN NOVENA**

The Sisters of Saint Ann announces their annual Novena in honor of their Patroness St. Ann, starting on **Thursday, July 18 until the feast day - July 26**, at Mount St. Ann (1120 North Center St. - Ebensburg PA). The Eucharist Celebration and devotion will be held **every evening at 7 PM** at the outdoor shrine. The Most Rev. Bishop Mark Bartchak will be the main celebrant for the closing of the Novena.

## **TAG SALE**

The Dorothy Day Outreach Center is hosting their biannual Tag Sale from **8:00 AM to 3:00 PM on Saturday, July 27th** in the Dorothy Day Outreach Center parking lot at their new address of 115 St. Mary's Street, Loretto (Former Franciscan Mission Store).

## **FOURTH OF JULY PRAYER**

- by Fr. Ed Hays, A Pilgrim's Almanac, P. 111

*We lift up our hearts, O God,  
on this day of celebration in gratitude  
for the gift of being Americans.*

*We rejoice with all those who share  
in the great dream of freedom and dignity for all.*

*With flags and feasting, with family and friends  
we salute those who have sacrificed  
that we might have the opportunity  
to bring to fulfillment our many God-given gifts.*

*As we deny all prejudice a place in our hearts,  
may we also clearly declare our intention to work  
for the time when all people, regardless of race, religion,  
or sex, will be granted equal dignity and worth.*



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## **BASKET RAFFLE**



One of the popular activities at our church picnic is our basket raffle! We are still accepting donated baskets filled with goodies and also items that can be added to some baskets. Gift cards are always welcomed! Items can be dropped off at the picnic, at the rectory office during regular office hours or call Helen or Chris (696-4226) to arrange for a pick-up. Thanks so much for your support!

## **THE AMERICAN RESCUE WORKERS NEED YOUR SUPPORT**

The American Rescue Workers (ARW) are looking for donations that will be used to fund a new building in our community. Purchase a tile to help build the Mary Fowler Nest, a multi-purpose building at the rear of 502 Mulberry Street in Hollidaysburg. It will be used for fundraising efforts to support ARW services and other community projects. Tiles range in price from \$80 to \$250, depending on the size of the tile and kind of message you'd like to include. For more information, please contact Emma at: [arwhollyemma@gmail.com](mailto:arwhollyemma@gmail.com) or 814-695-0762.



## **AVOID THE SEPTEMBER RUSH!**



Sign up to become a Catechist now and be ready to share the Word in September. Information packets are available in the church main entrance and in the parish office.

## **QUICK LOOK AT UPCOMING EVENTS**

<b>Every Monday:</b>	Prayer Group (in the Church)	<b>2 PM</b>
<b>SCRIP:</b>	sold after the 8:30 & 10 AM Sunday Masses in the Church Hall	
<b>July 2</b>	Ladies Guild Meeting (Allegheny Crepe & Creamery)	<b>1 PM</b>
<b>July 2</b>	Youth Group Planning Meeting (Activity Building)	<b>8 PM</b>
<b>July 4</b>	Independence Day (Parish Office closed)	
<b>July 7</b>	Parish Picnic (Hollidaysburg Legion Park - Pavilion #2)	
	Outdoor Field Mass - <b>12:45 PM</b>	Picnic begins - <b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>July 11</b>	Cemetery Committee Meeting (Rectory meeting room)	<b>1 PM</b>
<b>July 18</b>	Parish Finance Council Meeting (Rectory meeting room)	<b>7 PM</b>
<b>July 18-20</b>	Duncansville Community Days (Come support our Youth Group's food tent!)	



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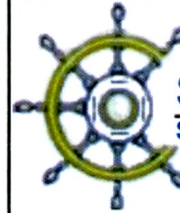
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## PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

St Michael the Archangel,  
 defend us in battle.  
 Be our protection  
 against the wickedness  
 and snares of the devil.  
 May God rebuke him we humbly  
 pray; and do Thou  
 O Prince of the Heavenly Host,  
 by the power of God, cast into hell,  
 Satan and all the evil spirits,  
 who prowl through the world,  
 seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



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