

St. Mary 312 Clark St. Hollidaysburg, PA 16648 814-695-0622

Mass Schedule at St. Mary: Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM Sunday: 7:30 and 10:00 AM. Daily and Holy Days: See inside

Confessions: Saturday: 2:30 to 3:30 PM Wednesday: 5:30 PM Thursday: 4:00 PM before the First Friday of the month

Office Phone Number and Hours: Office: 814-695-0622 Mon. to Thurs. 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Administrative Assistant: Ethel Cunningham 814-695-0622

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

Parish Email: stmaryhburg@dioceseaj.org

Director of Music: Ms. Anna Podoletz

Cemetery: Call Carol 814-695-9798

Facility Managers: Greg & Shari Figurelli

St. Mary & St. Michael Parishes

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

> Deacon Charles R. Ahearn cahearn@dioceseaj.org

Deacon Allan F. Duman aduman@dioceseaj.org

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 9, 2022

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

Director of Religious Education for both parishes: Sue Teske 814-695-0912 or 814-934-2180

Hollidaysburg Catholic Youth Group Director: Tim Baranik 814-207-7008

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



St. Michael the Archangel Parish 301 Spruce St. Hollidaysburg, PA 16648 814-695-0912

Mass Schedule at St. Michael: Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM Sunday: 7:30, 10:00 and 11:30 AM. Daily and Holy Days: See inside

Confessions: Saturdays at 1:00 to 2:00 PM

Office Phone Number and Hours: Office: 814-695-0912 Mon. to Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

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

Building Supervisor: Terry Wilt

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

Parish Email: stmichaelhburg@dioceseaj.org

Music Coordinator: Julie Hanlon - Contemporary Sandy Harteis - Traditional

Greenlawn Cemetery: greenlawncemeteryhburg @gmail.com

St. Michael's Pastoral Council: saintmichaelppc@gmail.com

Parishioner Registration: If you would like to join the parish, please contact either 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.

Bulletin Deadline: The deadline to have information considered for publication in the bulletin is noon Tuesday prior to the weekend of the announcement. Send the information to gmollish@volunteerdaj.org. or either church office.



Night of Worship Tuesday, October 18th Praise & Worship

Bi-monthly Nights of Worship at St. Michael's Church at 7:00 PM on the first and third Tuesday.

The evening of prayer will include Praise & Worship music, followed by a spiritual teaching or witness talk, and then end with prayer ministry for individual needs and concerns.

The speaker for Oct. 18 will be Amy Kanich

"Searching for Sunday: Discovering God's Faithfulness Despite Heartaches and Disappointments"

All are welcome!





Rosary Rally for Fatima Saturday, October 15th at Noon, Saint Catherine of Siena Catholic Church, Duncansville. Meet at the shrine behind the church, for Rosary and prayers for our nation. Questions to:

Dennis Dombrosky 814-695-1509 or Paul Gargon 814-941-0134.

One of them, realizing he had been healed, returned, glorifing God in a loud voice.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR ST. MARY AND ST. MICHAEL PARISHES

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DATE	DAY	TIME	PARISH	PARISH INTENTION		REQUESTED BY	
10/08	SAT	4:00 PM	St. Mary	ዮ	Mack D. Simmons	Deacon Chuck	
		5:00 PM	St. Michael	ዮ	Lori and Kathy Ray	The Evans Family	
		7:30 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	Thelma Daus	Ron & Becky Merilli	
		7:30 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Bob Cobler (Anniversary Remembrance)	Mark & Jo DeLozier	
10/09	SUN	10:00 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	Dorreen Gregorchik	K of C Council 4245	
		10:00 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Frances Fregone (Birthday Remembrance)	Her daughter, Roseann	
		11:30 AM St. Michael			The People of the Parishes	Pastor	
10/10	MON	7:45 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Ruth & Andy Swope	Dan, Vicki and Maeve Lawruk	
10/11	TUES	7:45 AM	AM St. Michael		Leona George (Birthday Remembrance)	Her family	
10/12	WED	7:45 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	Douglas Oswald	Brandy Lubert & Debra Oswald	
10/13	THURS	7:45 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Adam Woomer	His parents	
10/14	FRI	7:45 AM	St. Mary	ቴ	Merle Manning	Dave & Donna Cook	
40/45 0AT		4:00 PM	St. Mary	ዮ	Nola McDonald	Genevieve Catina	
10/15	SAT	5:00 PM	St. Michael	ዮ	Bernadette Melville (Anniv. Remembrance)	The family	
		7:30 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	David Burchfield, Sr.	Patricia & Donna Gildea	
		7:30 AM	St. Michael	ዮ	Joe Burger (Anniversary Remembrance)	The family	
10/16	SUN	10:00 AM	St. Mary	ዮ	Marianne Burkhart	Greg Sweeney Family	
		10:00 AM	St. Michael		Police, 1st Responders, Rescue and EMS Personnel	Thankful Citizens	
		11:30 AM	St. Michael		The People of the Parishes	Pastor	

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Stewardship of Time and Talent - Liturgical Appointment Schedule									
	JR. READER * 1 or 2 Needed	READER * 2 Needed	EMHC * 2 Needed	ALTAR SERVER 2 Needed	HOSPITALITY 3 needed	SACRISTAN 1 Needed	AUDIO TECH 3 Needed		
Saturday, October 8th									

St. Mary 4:00 PM	-	Richard Books Michael Mollish	Claire Muriceak Grace Muriceak	Shari Figurelli Meagan James Rick Pulcino		
	NOT FILLED (1) Lisa Michelone (2)	Lisa Michelone NOT FILLED	Vernon Litzinger NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Lisa Michelone	Janet Klingbeil Michael Waibel NOT FILLED

Sunday, October 9th

St. Mary 7:30 AM		Rachel Sleeth - 1st Connie Curfman - 2nd	Kay Benton Shawn Sullivan	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Greg Figurelli Ray Gregorchik Jodie Feath		
St. Michael 7:30 AM	NOT FILLED (Intro) NOT FILLED (Univ. Prayer)	Michael Schlechter (1) Becky Stevens (2)	Maryanne Burger Anita Carvalho	Terry Wilt NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Jo DeLozier	NOT FILLED Ben Gervinski NOT FILLED
St. Mary 10:00 AM		Craig Mauk - 1st David Madden - 2nd	Beverly Buterbaugh Sharon King	Christine Lee Diaz Matthew McMullen	Dottie Gonsman John McIntyre Michael Moran		
St. Michael 10:00 AM	NOT FILLED (Intro) NOT FILLED (Univ. Prayer	Carole Swope (1) Julia Burke (2)	Andrea Wilk Alicia Jordan	Marco Swope Carter Jordan	Joe Dodson Joe Harteis Greg Olsavick	Dale & Marty Culp	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED
St. Michael 11:30 AM	NOT FILLED (Intro) NOT FILLED (Univ. Prayer	Jeff Johnson (1) Francine Boland (2)	Andy Weyant Ginny Harrington	Jacob Pochak Dean Pochak	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Andy Weyant	Tim Surkovich NOT FILLED NOT FILLED

St. Michael Weekday Sacristan (October 9th to October 15th): Jacki Mowery

*The Deacon will be ordinary minister of communion and read the Universal prayers, if he is present.

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St. Mary 4:00 PM		Jeff Muriceak - 1st Bruno Felus - 2nd	Richard Books Michael Mollish	Claire Muriceak Grace Muriceak	Shari Figurelli Michael Johnston Chris Johnston				
St. Michael 5:00 PM	NOT FILLED (Intro) NOT FILLED (Univ. Prayer)	NOT FILLED (1) NOT FILLED (2)	Bill Farnan NOT FILLED	Vernon Litzinger NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Alan Curtis	Janet Klingbeil Michael Waibel NOT FILLED		

Sunday, October 16th

St. Mary 7:30 AM		John Heslop - 1st Susan Painter - 2nd	Kay Benton Jodie Feath	Matthew McMullen Isabella Pietrolungo	Ray Gregorchik Jim Zimmerman NOT FILLED		
St. Michael 7:30 AM	NOT FILLED (Intro) NOT FILLED (Univ. Prayer)	Bob Anthony (1) Lisa Michelone (2)	Chris Feathers Rich Holzer	Michael Icenroad NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Roy & Cate BurgerLeister	NOT FILLED John Elder NOT FILLED
St. Mary 10:00 AM		Keila Whittington - 1st Jo Ann Propcheck - 2nd	David Madden Mary Smith	Joshua Bueno Christine Lee Diaz	Dottie Gonsman Meagan James Michael Moran		
St. Michael 10:00 AM	NOT FILLED (Intro) NOT FILLED (Univ. Prayer	Dale Culp (1) Marty Culp (2)	Greg Olsavisk Lisa Georgiana	Rylee Swander Greyson Swander	Joe Dodson Joe Harteis Greg Olsavick	Dale & Marty Culp	Barry Craig Leighann Craig NOT FILLED
St. Michael 11:30 AM	NOT FILLED (Intro) NOT FILLED (Univ. Prayer	Francine Boland (1) Debbie Sault (2)	Eva Pope Ginny Harrington	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Mel & Patty Link	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED

St. Michael Weekday Sacristan (October 16th to October 22th): Ramona Shrift

Recent changes to the schedules may not be shown.

Volunteers are encouraged to login to the Ministry Scheduler Pro Program for the most updated schedule.

If you are having problems logging in, contact the parish office.

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Requested Donation

for October 15th & 16th



INTRODUCTION FOR TODAY'S READINGS Twenty–Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 2 Kings 5: 14-17 Elisha, who lived about 800 years before Christ, was the successor of the great prophet Elijah. Naaman was a pagan army officer from Syria who came to Elisha, seeking a cure for his leprosy. We pick up the story at this point.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 2: 8-13 We continue reading from the second letter to Timothy. This letter was written about 30 years after Paul's death to a typical Church leader as represented by Timothy. Today's passage begins with a summary of Paul's teachings about Christ, and concludes with what may be part of an ancient Christian hymn.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

Exodus 17: 8-13 and 2 Timothy 3: 14-4:2;

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8



Consider joining if you are:

- An unbaptized adult.
- A baptized non-Catholic who wishes to learn more about the Catholic Church.
- A baptized Catholic who has not celebrated the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist.

Please call either parish office: St. Mary 814-695-0622 St. Michael 814-695-0912

Annual Pro-Life Prayer Breakfast Grove Hall of Immaculate Conception Church, New Germany

> Saturday, October 29, 2022 9:00 AM to 12:00PM



Featured Speaker: Nikki Bruni

Ms. Nikki Bruni is the coordinator of 40 Days for Life in Pittsburgh 40DaysForLifePittsburgh.com

40 Days For Life is an ecumenical pro-life campaign that aims to end abortion through prayer, fasting and peaceful all-day vigil in front of Planned Parenthood for 40 days.

After getting involved in pro-life work in 2009, Nikki eventually became the director of Pittsburgh's 40 Days for Life and has now led 23 consecutive campaigns. Check out her page <u>www.40davsforlifepittsburgh.com/author/nikkibruni/</u>

Nikki works part-time as a hairdresser. She holds a BFA from Carnegie Mellon University and enjoys using her artistic abilities to glorify God. Her paintings, "Memorial of Mercy", "The Innocents", and "The Pieta" are tributes to the lives lost to abortion. The "Memorial of Mercy" has been displayed in over 60 churches. "The Innocents" has traveled to over 30 churches and her most recent memorial painting "The Pieta" has already been exhibited in a number of churches.

Please Call Ann at (814) 472-8584 or Steve at (814) 241-2772 for tickets and more information.

> Sponsored by the Cambria/Somerset Chapter of Citizens Concerned for Human Life www.ProLifeCambriaSomerset.org

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Christmas Blessing Tree Program

St. Mary's and St. Michael's are announcing that we will be sponsoring our "Christmas Blessing Tree" as a way to assist families in need this Christmas season.

BLESSING TREE SCHEDULE Gift Recipient Forms Available Now Oct. 16th Last Day to Submit Gift Recipient Forms

If you are personally aware of a family that would benefit as a Blessing Tree gift recipient, please complete a Blessing Tree form showing the needs of each family.

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.

ALL GIFT RECIPIENT FORMS MUST BE RETURNED BY SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16th.

PLEASE PLACE FORMS IN ONE OF THE BOXES FOUND AT EACH ENTRANCE MARKED "BLESSING TREE FORMS".

Any parishioner who would like to help with this rewarding project or has questions, please contact:

Shari Figurelli 814-330-9421 Kathy Balconi 585-730-0757 Charlene Centar 814-696-0491

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

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

Pray the Rosary Every day after the 7:45 AM weekday Mass. Oct 9 Columbus Day Weekend: No Religious Ed Classes Oct 9 Parish Offices closed Oct 11 6:30 PM St. Michael Parish Council Meeting Oct 12 6:00 PM Alpha (St. Mary Social Hall) Oct 13 6:00 PM Recitation of the Rosary (St. Michael Ch) Oct 13 6:30 PM St. Mary Parish Council Meeting Oct 13 6:30 PM Greenlawn Cemetery (St. Michael Rectory) Oct 15 7:15 AM Men's Fellowship (St. Michael Convent Bldg) Oct 16 8:45 AM Religious Education Classes (Pre K - 11th) Oct 16 9:00 AM 2nd gr Parent Meeting (St. Michael Activ. Bldg)





Deacon Michael L. Russo Director of the Permanent Diaconate Johnstown Office Phone: (814) 288-3036 Deacon Michael's E-mail: Michael.Russo@atlanticbb.net

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Used Book Sale Sponsored by: The Friends of the Hollidaysburg Area Public Library. **Preview sale** for Friends Tues., Oct. 18th 6:00 AM to 7:30 PM Public sale Wed., Oct.19th 9:30 AM to 7:30 PM Thurs., Oct. 20th 9:30 AM to 7:30 PM Fri., Oct. 21st 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM Bag Day starts Thurs. at 5:00 PM and continues on Friday-\$5.00 per brown bag!

Sale is at the

Library.

Saint Michael's Parish Stewardship of Treasure Oct. 2nd Source \$8,794.00 Adult Collection 228.00 Loose Collection 27.00 Votive Candles 387.00 Maintenance 252.00 Twin Parish 222.00 **Retired Priest** 17.00 All Saints 130.00 World Mission Sunday

Thank You For Your Generosity And Faithful Stewardship



of the month at 6:30 PM St. Michael's Pastoral Council's Email: saintmichaelparishppc@gmail.com

St. Mary's meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM

Parishioners are invited to attend and express their opinions or concerns or send an Email for inclusion on the meeting agenda

Alpha Course at St. Mary Wednesday Evening October 12th.

A Sneak Peek at Alpha:

This week's topic: How Does God Guide Us?

"The primary calling on your life is into a relationship with God. That's what gives ultimate meaning and purpose to your life, a love relationship with Him, and then a love relationship with other people, that's what we're called to . . ."

Nicky Gumbel, Developer of the Alpha Course



How do you feel about the idea of God having a plan for your life?



The Knights of Columbus Gathering This Sunday, October 9th in Loretto

Bishop Mark will celebrate Mass at 2:00 PM at the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel.

A social and dinner will immediately follow in the Our Lady of Loretto Community Hall next to the Basilica and Saint Michael School. The guest speaker will be Rev. Jason Charron, Pastor of Holy Trinity Ukrainian Catholic Church, Carnegie, PA. He will speak about his involvement in assisting the safe passage of children from the Ukraine to Poland..



All knights, their family, friends, and fellow parishioners are invited to the Mass and dinner.

The cost of the dinner is \$15 for adults and \$7.50 for children 12 and younger. Reservations are required by Saturday, October 1st. No money transactions will be made at the door the evening of the banquet.

Those wishing to attend should submit their names along with a check to:

William Stasko, 8 Entrance Drive, Johnstown, PA 15905

