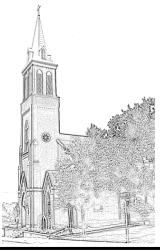


# The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH



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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**

Saturdays at 1 p.m. & Sundays at 7:30 a.m. Outside on the rectory porch

#### 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**

Interested in becoming a member of the Catholic faith? Please contact the parish office. Classes generally begin each Fall.

# **INTRODUCTION FOR TODAY'S READINGS**

#### TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Jeremiah 20:10-13** The prophet Jeremiah lived about 600 years before Christ. He prophesied that Israel, because of its unfaithfulness to God, would be defeated by Babylon. When this began to happen, many of his friends and neighbors denounced him as a traitor and turned on him.

**Romans 5:12-15** Paul's letter to the Romans is his most detailed and important theological work. His purpose in this passage is not to teach about original sin, but to contrast Adam and Christ. From Adam we inherited a strong pull toward sin. From Christ (the "new Adam") we received a gift that is incomparably stronger: Divine Grace.

Next Sunday's Readings: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16 and Romans 6:3-4,8-11; Gospel: Matthew 10:37-42

# **MASSES THIS WEEK FOR ST. MICHAEL & ST. MARY PARISHES**

# June 20 - 28

For your convenience we have, and will continue, to list the Masses for both St. Michael & St. Mary Parishes. Please feel free to attend either church for Mass and events. If you use church envelopes for your offertory, you may place it in the St. Mary collection and they will send your offertory gift to us.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	Location	Intention	Requested by
Saturday, 6/20	4:00 PM 5:00 PM	St. Mary <b>St. Michael</b>	For all fathers; living and deceased <b>For all fathers; living and deceas</b>	
Sunday, 6/21	8:00 AM 8:30 AM 10:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:30 AM	St. Mary <b>St. Michael</b> St. Mary <b>St. Michael</b> <b>St. Michael</b>	For all fathers; living and deceased For all fathers; living and deceased	
Monday, 6/22	7:45 AM	St. Michael	+ Robert Korhan	by the K of C - Star of the Sea Council #4245
Tuesday, 6/23	7:45 AM	St. Michael	+ Ernie Tomassetti	by his wife; Helen & Family
Wednesday, 6/24	6:30 PM	St. Mary	+ Anna MaCionsly	by Doris & Leon Wagner
Thursday, 6/25	7:45 AM	St. Michael	+ Robert James "Jim" Gildea	by brother; Bill & sisters; Pat & Donna
Friday, 6/26	7:45 AM	St. Michael	+ Ralph Mehall	by his children & grandchildren
Saturday, 6/27	4:00 PM 5:00 PM	St. Mary <b>St. Michael</b>	<ul> <li>+ Helen Gajewski</li> <li>+ Carol Jeffreys-Scott</li> </ul>	by her husband by the family
Sunday, 6/28	8:00 AM 8:30 AM 10:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:30 AM	St. Mary <b>St. Michael</b> St. Mary <b>St. Michael</b> <b>St. Michael</b>	<ul> <li>+ Dorothy Stephens</li> <li>+ Fr. Tony Legarski</li> <li>+ Helen Johnson</li> <li>+ Ralph Conroy (Birthday Remembrance)</li> <li>For the people of St. Mary &amp; St. N</li> </ul>	by Michael & Cindy Kline by Donald & Jeanette Betar & Family by Bud & Carol McCoy by his wife; Joan & Family <b>fichael Parishes</b>

# WELCOME BACK TO GOD'S HOUSE!

Mass Schedule at St. Mary and St. Michael Parishes

St. Michael Masses:					
Daily:	Mon., Tue	s., Thurs., & Fri.	7:45 AM		
Weekend:	Saturday		5 PM		
	Sunday	8:30 AM, 10:00 AM	& 11:30 AM		
<u>St. Mary Masses:</u>					

Daily:	Wednesday	6:30 PM
Weekend:	Saturday	4:00 PM
	Sunday	8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

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Thank you for your gene	erosity!
Sunday Offering (6/14/2020):	\$7,337.00

On-Line Giving (not available at pres	ss time)
Peter Pence Collection (6/14/202	eo): <b>\$65.00</b>
Twin Parish in Jamaica (6/14/202	20): <b>\$220.00</b>
Maintenance (6/14/2020):	\$158.00
Catholic Ministries Drive (as of	5/31/2020):
Target Goal:	\$48,361.00
Received to Date	\$24,385.00

# HOLY COMMUNION OUTSIDE OF MASS

Holy Communion will continue to be distributed outside of Mass at the church side door. Communicants are asked to be prepared spiritually, if possible wear a facial mask, and keep social distancing if you do not reside in the same household. (See complete times and schedule on next page.) We will continue to distribute Communion this way for the time being. For those who do not feel comfortable being in the church just yet, and would rather a household member or an extraordinary minister of Holy Communion bring you Communion to your home, please contact the parish office for arrangements. You're under no obligation to come for Communion, so please be reasonable in protecting your own health and the health of others.

#### LITURGY APPOINTMENTS

WEEKDAY SACRISTAN (6/21 - 6/27): A. Musser 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Mass Reader *		Extraordinary Min.*	Sacristan *	Min. of Hospitality
	5 PM (6/27)	M. Dodson	D. Straub (primary)	R. DeHaven	L. Michelone
			S. Teske (secondary)		D. Klingbeil
			R. Holzer (tertiary)		available
	8:30 AM (6/28)	B. Anthony	B. Codd (primary)	S. & D. Claar	M. Icenroad
			C. Feathers (secondary)		A. Carvalho
			K. Balconi (tertiary)		T. Baker
	10 AM (6/28)	A. McClain	M DeRose (primary)	The Culps	T. Wilt
			A. Lombardo-Jordan (secondary)		M. Culp
		A. Lewis (tertiary)			J. Harteis
	11:30 AM (6/28)			M & C. Keller	P. Claycomb
			E. Pope (secondary)		available
_			L. Georgiana (tertiary)		available
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# THANK YOU!

<u>Volunteers are vital to our parish</u>. Every little bit helps in so many ways. Thank you to everyone who recently volunteered to be Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Ministers of Hospitality. We still could use several more, especially Ministers of Hospitality (particularly 5 PM & 11:30AM). We also could use people to be Weekend Sacristans. The commitment for both ministries is minimal, basically requiring you to come at least half an hour before Mass and for a few minutes after Mass. Both are very important especially as Fr. Alan is busy trying to divide his time at both churches. Please consider helping.



## Back by popular demand...

# Let's do this!

# JOIN THE YOUTH GROUP AND GO KAYAKING WITH US!

All students from St. Michael and St. Mary parishes entering grade 7 or higher are welcome to join us **Saturday**, **June 27th at 11am** as we kayak at Canoe Creek State Park. We will have a Youth Group picnic at the park after kayaking. Students will be asked to bring an item to share at the picnic. **Cost for kayaking is only \$5** and includes your kayak rental, and life jacket.

Students must RSVP to attend this event. A permission slip **MUST** be completed before attending. <u>ALL are invited to the picnic even</u> <u>if you decide not to kayak</u>. If you own your own kayak, and plan to use it, there will be no charge. Everyone <u>MUST</u> wear a life jacket. Canoe Creek has enough kayaks to accommodate 20-22 people. **Please RSVP by no later than Noon on Friday June 26**. For more information, <u>AND to RSVP</u>, please contact Mr. Tim Baranik at 814-207-7008, via phone or text, or email <u>tbaranik24@gmail.com</u>. Permission slips will be given to you once your student RSVP's.

# Our parish YOUth Group is what YOU make it!

ALL STUDENTS in 7th - 12th grade are invited to join.

#### Attention Adults of St. Michael and St. Mary

**Parish**...Our Youth Group is looking for some experienced kayakers to join us on June 27th at 11am, at Canoe Creek State Park, to help chaperone our students out on the water. Your help would be greatly appreciated! Please contact Tim Baranik at 814-207-7008 if you can assist us.

# ST. MICHAEL PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND FAITH FORMATION

Plans are being made the Religious Education Program for the new school year, which will be here sooner than you think! We are definitely in need of teachers and helpers. Training and help with clearance paperwork will be provided.

Please give this prayerful consideration, and if interested contact our D.R.E., Sue Teske; Steske@dioceseaj.org or call 695-0912 or 934-2180.

# PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

The Peter's Pence Collection provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit http://www.usccb.org/catholicgiving/opportunities-for-giving/peters-pence/. You may make a donation to this collection by using the designated envelope in your envelope packet.

# **ONLINE LINE GIVING**

#### For weekly offerings and Catholic Ministries Drive

The diocese has set-up a parish on-line giving account for every parish in the diocese. If you would like to give this way just visit: <u>https://www.dioceseaj.org/giving/</u> to setup an account. Just look for "St. Michael, Hollidaysburg (054)" under the "Select a parish to receive your gift". Contact the parish office if you have any questions.

# STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

God never promised anyone a life that would be untouched by difficulties, hardships and even tragedy. What he did promise, long before Jeremiah in the time of Abraham, that if we were only to trust in him, we would always have his providential care.

Faith in this promise may seem very challenging especially in today's circumstance. But it is in the self-giving of Jesus to fulfill this promise for us through salvation and the forgiveness of sins that we can live with certainty of faith and hope.

Who do you know that needs to be lifted out of fear into light? How does the Lord rescue the lives of the poor today? It can be through your abundant sharing of the gifts He has placed in your care.

Use your time this week to pray for families who are in most need of hope to overcome their fears.



# FIRST COMMUNION HERE AT ST. MICHAEL PARISH

Our second grade students will be receiving their First Communion on Saturdays for the next few weeks. Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare to receive the Body of Christ. Congratulations to those who received the sacrament yesterday!

# MASS FROM ST. MICHAEL CHURCH IS AVAILABLE ONLINE

We will continue to try to have video recordings of the Sunday Mass, <u>EVERY SUNDAY</u> on our parish website and the parish facebook page.

VISIT OUR WEBPAGE: www.stmichael-hldg-pa.org

FIND US ON FACEBOOK

"St. Michael the Archangel Church Hollidaysburg"

Audio recordings of the daily & weekend Gospel and

Fr. Alan's Homilies are also available on our parish website.

# **REMEMBERING FR. TONY**

Hollidaysburg Mayor, Joseph Dodson, is seeking kind donations toward a memorial monument to honor our dear friend and Naval Reservists Reverend Anthony J. Legarski, who passed away unexpectedly on Nov. 5, 2019. This memorial will be installed at Patriotic Park in the Holliday Hills area of Hollidaysburg. All donations will be applied to the cost of the memorial stone, and anything collected above the cost will be applied directly toward the cost of maintaining the park. Checks should be made payable to the "Borough of Hollidaysburg", 401 Blair St. Hollidaysburg PA 16648. - Please mark on the check memo: *"Fr. Legarski Memorial*".

# **QUICK LOOK AT UPCOMING EVENTS**

DAILY Church open for private prayer ......7 AM - 7 PM

#### **COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION** (no Mass)

(Side door of St. Michael Church)					
	Monday - Fridayapprox. 8:15 AM				
	Sunday	9:30 AM, 11 AM & 12:30 PM			
	(Parking lot side door of St. Mary Church)				
	Monday - Friday				
	Saturday	5PM			
	Sunday	9 AM & 11 AM			
June 27	First Communion Mass	(Group 2) <b>10 AM</b>			
June 27	Youth Group Kayaking and picnic (Canoe Creek) 11 AM				
July 3	Parish Office closed				
July 4	First Communion Mass	(Group 3) <b>10 AM</b>			
July 11		(Group 4) 10 AM			

Many thanks to everyone who stays a few minutes to help wipe down the pews after the Masses.

