

ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE & ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

# I AM THE GATE.

— JOHN 10:9 —



WE ARE ONE PARISH FAMILY ACROSS TWO CHURCHES

**LEADERSHIP  
CLERGY**

**Priest in Residence**  
 Father Joseph O'Brien  
 joseph.obrien@rcda.org  
**Weekly Assisting Retired Priest**  
 Father James Donlon

**ADMINISTRATION**  
**Pastoral Associate for Operations  
 and Administration**

Kelly Hession  
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**Principal, Saint Jude the Apostle  
 School**  
 Kristine Hoffay  
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**Weekend Mass Schedule**

**Saturday**  
 St. Jude the Apostle 4:00 PM  
 St. Michael the Archangel 4:00 PM

**Sunday**  
 St. Michael the Archangel 8:30 AM  
 St. Jude the Apostle 10:00 AM

**Eucharist Exposition**

**Tuesday**  
 St. Michael the Archangel 11:30 AM  
**Wednesday**  
 St. Jude the Apostle 8:30-9:30 AM

**Weekday Mass Schedule**

**Monday**  
 St. Michael the Archangel 12:10 PM

**Tuesday**  
 St. Michael the Archangel 12:10 PM

**Wednesday**  
 St. Jude the Apostle 8:00 AM

**Thursday**  
 St. Jude the Apostle 8:00 AM

**A Word from  
 Bishop Mark O'Connell**  
 "I am happy when I know I am exactly  
 where God wants me"

**Encounter God's Mercy**

Confession (individual reconciliation)  
 Saturdays from 3:00-3:40 PM  
 throughout April at St. Michael the  
 Archangel, or by appointment through  
 the Parish Office.

**With Gratitude for Our Priests**

The ordination anniversaries of the two priests who faithfully serve our parish community:

**Fr. Donlon** Celebrating 51 years of priesthood May 31<sup>st</sup>      **Fr. Joe** Celebrating 35 years of priesthood June 8th

We give thanks for their years of dedicated service, faithful witness, and the many ways they continue to shepherd and support our parish community . Please keep them in your prayers as they mark these special milestones.



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 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM



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**SAINT MICHAEL  
 THE ARCHANGEL  
 CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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 St.Michaelsparish@live.com

**OFFICE HOURS**  
 Monday -Thursday  
 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM





## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is offered for the intentions listed below.

### Saturday, April 25

#### 4:00 PM | Saint Jude the Apostle

Bob Clow | by His Wife  
Harold Cannon | by Anne & David Cannon  
Ernie Kern | by the Karius Family  
Marianne Morin | by Peter & JoAnn Schumann

### Saturday, April 25

#### 4:00 PM | Saint Michael the Archangel

Sally Hogan | by Cindy & Kevin Burke  
Harry Anderson (Birthday) | by sister, Bernadette  
Kurt Vansteemburg | by Marie & Lou Celeste  
Stephanie Byrne | by Margaret & Barry Willard  
Rosemary Burns | by Marilyn & Mary

### Sunday, April 26

#### 8:30 AM | Saint Michael the Archangel

Pat Miller | by Ellen Tolan  
Rosemary Burns | by Brian & Mary Ellen Bailey

### Sunday, April 26

#### 10:00 AM | Saint Jude the Apostle

Leanne Conron | by Connie Fennelly  
Mary & William Mahoney | by their Daughter  
Jennie Valente | by her Family

### Monday, April 27

#### 12:10 PM | Saint Michael the Archangel

For all those mourning the loss of a loved one.

### Tuesday, April 28

#### 12:10 PM | Saint Michael the Archangel

For all those faced with addictions and their families

### Wednesday, April 29

#### 8:00 AM | Saint Jude the Apostle

Joshua Shaw | by Grandmother

### Thursday, April 30

#### 8:00 AM | Saint Jude the Apostle

For all those preparing to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation

### Saturday, May 2

#### 4:00 PM | Saint Jude the Apostle

Colleen Bornhorst | by Father  
Joseph Frost | by Mom, Dad, Matthew & Taye  
Ned & Pat Harley | by Nadine & Family

### Saturday, May 2

#### 4:00 PM | Saint Michael the Archangel

Luona Suriano-Pazinko (1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary) | by the Family  
Maria & Gaetano Tedesco | by Maria & Mario Tedesco  
Sally Hogan | by Matt Hogan and Mari  
Cynthia Perry | by St. Michael's Women's Guild  
Rosemary Burns | by Liz Smith  
Mr. & Mrs. James Carroll | by the Family

### Sunday, May 3

#### 8:30 AM | Saint Michael the Archangel

Jules Jacobson (4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) | by Ann  
Rosemary Burn | by Maureen & Joe Fogarty  
Amy & Bob | by the Tatarczuk Family  
Phyllis Niski | by Emily Letteriello

### Sunday, May 3

#### 10:00 AM | Saint Jude the Apostle

David & Dorothea Castle | by Castle Children  
Jason T. Cupp | by the Helinski Family

### SANCTUARY LAMP

#### FOR THE FOLLOWING INTENTIONS

April 19-25

St. Michael | Church

In Loving Memory of Ray Bouchard  
by Marie Raymond

April 19-25

St. Jude the Apostle

Anthony Farnach  
by Mary Ann Grago

April 26 - May 2

St. Michael | Church

Betsy Durivage  
by Joe & Carolee Jasiewicz

## FAITH FORMATION UPDATES

Our sacramental masses are on the calendars! There will be two First Holy Communion Masses-May 2nd (4 pm @ St. Michael's) when 20 children will receive their First Eucharist, and May 17th (10am @ St. Jude's) when 6 children receive their First Sacrament. Please note that the children and their families will be seated in reserved sections in the front of the church. If you are planning to attend the mass at St. Michael's on May 2nd, please realize that this mass will be longer and more crowded than the usual 4 pm Saturday mass.

Our Confirmation Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, May 6th at 6:30 pm at Saint Michael the Archangel, when 28 young adults will be confirmed by Bishop Mark O'Connell. All are invited and welcome to share in this celebration!

As we conclude Faith Formation in a couple of weeks, we are beginning to plan for next year! We are in need of Catechists, Catechist Assistants and substitute teachers. Please consider joining our team as we strive to teach our children about their faith. If you are interested, please email [ffstmichaels@gmail.com](mailto:ffstmichaels@gmail.com).

### Help Us Stay Connected!

We are currently updating our parish database and improving how we communicate with our parish family. To ensure we have your most up-to-date information, please email the parish office with the following:

- Name
- Address
- Email Address
- Phone Number

Thank you for helping us stay connected and serve you better!

### ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE AND ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL INVITE YOU TO



### ROSARY BEFORE MASS - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We would like to begin praying the Rosary before every Mass, and we are seeking volunteers to help lead this beautiful and prayerful tradition. We are in need of individuals who are willing to commit to leading the Rosary each week, beginning 30 minutes before Mass.

If you feel called to serve in this way, please contact the parish office. Your willingness to lead others in prayer is a meaningful gift to our parish community.



**Knights of Columbus Meeting**  
Monday, May 4 at 6:00 PM  
Saint Jude the Apostle

**Women's Guild Meeting**  
Monday, May 4 at 6:30 PM  
St. Michael the Archangel

### GRADUATING SENIOR? APPLY FOR A \$1,000 PARISH SCHOLARSHIP

The Women's Guild and Men's Club of Saint Michael the Archangel are offering a \$1,000 scholarship to graduating high school seniors who are members of St. Michael's Parish. Applications and additional information are available on the table in the Gathering Area. Completed applications must be returned to the church by Sunday, May 3 to be considered. The scholarship winner will be recognized and presented with a scholarship check after an 8:30 Mass later in May.

### LIVESTREAM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to assist with livestreaming our Masses and special liturgies. This is a meaningful way to help those who are unable to join us in person stay connected to our parish community. Volunteers will assist with a simple setup and monitoring of the livestream. Training will be provided, and no prior experience is necessary. If you are interested in serving, please contact the parish office. Your time and willingness to help make a difference for so many!

**SAINT JUDE THE APOSTLE  
MARCH OFFERTORY REPORT**

Average Weekly Needed:	\$5,082.00
Average Monthly Needed:	\$20,328.00
March Offertory Envelopes:	\$17,181.00
Online Giving:	\$2,875.00
Total:	\$20,056.00
Difference:	-\$272.00
Easter Crosses:	\$1,720.00

As of April 10, 2026, our parish goal is \$25,076.00. To date, \$7,117.00 has been received through 37 gifts, which means we still need \$17,959.00 to reach our goal. Thank you for all those who donated and continue to give so generously! Please scan code and donate - no gift is too small!



**SAINT JUDE THE APOSTLE  
DIOCESAN APPEAL**

**Saint Jude the Apostle Diocesan Appeal 2026**  
*Together, We Can Reach Our Goal*

St. Jude the Apostle CATHOLIC COMMUNITY Welcomes You

**Saint Jude the Apostle**  
GOAL: \$25,076 | So far, we have raised \$6,152  
Remaining: \$18,924

Thank you to those who have already donated so generously.  
If 225 parishioners each contributed approximately \$84, we would reach our goal.  
Some may be able to give more, some a little less—  
*Together, we can reach our goal.*

**\$84**

- Envelopes available near entrances
- Drop off at the parish office (we'll submit it for you)
- Checks payable to: Diocesan Appeal

Memo: St. Jude the Apostle, Wymanskill  
Thank you for your support.

**Second Collections**

**Saint Jude the Apostle Collections for May:**  
5/17 - Catholic Charities  
5/25 - Eastern European Relief

**Saint Michael Second Collections for May:**  
5/10 - Parish Improvement and Building Maintenance  
5/17 - Catholic Charities  
5/25 - Eastern European Relief

**STEWARDSHIP & GRATITUDE**

Your generosity supports the mission of Saint Jude the Apostle and Saint Michael the Archangel, helping us to worship, serve others, and grow as disciples of Jesus Christ. For those who prefer to give electronically, QR codes for both parishes are available in the bulletin each week. Thank you for your faithful support and for being part of what God is doing in our parish communities.



St. Jude the Apostle



St. Michael the Archangel

**SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL**

**MARCH OFFERTORY REPORT**

Monthly Offertory	\$29,932*
Monthly E-Giving	\$8,055
Total	\$37,987
To cover our expenses for the month, we need	\$26,667
We are over budget	\$11,320

**YEAR TO DATE**

Offertory	\$171,999
E-Giving	\$73,371
Total	\$245,370
To cover our YTD we need	\$240,003
We are over budget	\$5,367

\*includes \$10,000 in annual giving.

**SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL  
DIOCESAN APPEAL**

Every gift is important to this annual campaign that supports the administrative offices of the diocese as well as numerous programs, including Catholic Charities, Catholic Education, and Vocations. Please help us to meet our goal. It's not too late! You can make your gift/pledge from the parish app, the diocesan website ([rcda.org](http://rcda.org); donate); or there are envelopes on the table in the Gathering Area that you can use. Please make sure that you indicate that your donation is for St. Michael the Archangel - Troy. We really need your help to make our assessment!

As of April 14, the information posted by the Diocesan Stewardship Office follows:  
Number of gifts: 78  
Diocesan Assessment: \$46,007  
Amount Raised: \$29,157  
Shortfall: \$16,850  
The Diocesan Appeal is an assessment. St. Michael's will have to make up any shortfall from our general operating account, which will limit our ability to utilize funds for programming and operations. Note that none of these funds can be used towards sexual abuse victims claims or used for the St. Claire's pensions. Thank you to all those who have already given so generously.

The winner of the St. Michael's April 50/50 was **Jeff Prendergast!**  
Thank you for your support!

**Saint Michael • Troy Diocesan Appeal 2026**  
*Together, We Can Reach Our Goal*

We're over halfway there!  
GOAL: \$46,007 | Currently at: \$28,353  
Remaining: \$17,654

**\$59**

We are grateful to those who have already given so generously (73 gifts received)  
If 300 people contribute \$59 each, we can meet our goal.  
*Some may be able to give more, some less, together we can work together to meet our goal!*

- Envelopes available near the entrances
- Drop off your payment at the parish office and we can bring it to the Diocese on your behalf
- Please make checks payable to: Diocesan Appeal

Note: St. Michael - Troy  
*Everything we do as a parish is strengthened by what we do together as a diocese.  
Thank you for your support.*

**Women's Guild Bake Sale**

Cash only, cards cannot be accepted. Proceeds support the \$1,000 Parish Scholarship  
April 25 & 26 | St. Michael the Archangel

**Women's Guild Panera Fundraiser**

May 21 | 4:00 to 8:00 PM

**Men's Club Lasagna Dinner (Take Out Only)**

June 6 | 4:15 - 5:30 PM | St. Michael the Archangel  
Tickets will be available for purchase starting May 3rd. Individual dinner tickets are priced at \$17. We'll also be raffling off \$100 in Scratch-Off Tickets. Raffle tickets are \$5.00 each, and a combined dinner and raffle ticket can be purchased for \$20.

**St. Michael the Archangel**

**Mega Raffle**

\$15,000 in prize money. Only 250 tickets sold. Ticket Price \$100.00  
Drawing will be on May 31, 2026 after the 8:30 AM Mass.



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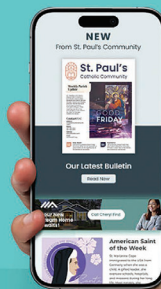
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