



# The Parishes of ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL and ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE

Fifth Sunday of Easter  
May 18, 2025



## WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturdays:	St. Michael the Archangel	4:00pm
	St. Jude the Apostle	4:00pm
Sundays:	St. Michael the Archangel	8:30am
	St. Jude the Apostle	10:00am

## WEEKDAY MASSES

St. Michael the Archangel	M, T & Th @ 12:10pm
St. Jude the Apostle	Wednesday @ 8:00am
St. Jude School Mass	CHILDREN'S MASS MONDAYS 8:50am

## EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION

St. Michael the Archangel	Tuesday @ 11:30am
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## PARISH CALENDARS

### Monday, May 19

8:50am Children's Mass (SJ)  
12:10pm Mass (SM)  
9:00am Money Counting Team 3 (SM)  
9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall  
(SM&SJ)  
10:30am Walking Club at LSI (SM&SJ)

### Tuesday, May 20

12:10 pm Mass (SM)  
11:30 am Exposition (SM)  
1:00 pm Dominos, Hall (SM)

### Wednesday, May 21

8:00 am Mass (SJ)  
9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM&SJ)  
9:30 am Crafty Ladies, (SM&SJ)  
Conf Room at (SM)  
10:30 am Walking Club at LSI (SM & SJ)

### Thursday, May 22

12:10pm Mass (SM)  
9:00am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM& SJ)  
10:30 am Walking Club at LSI (SM & SJ)

### Friday, May 23

Offices Closed (SM & SJ)

### Saturday, May 24

4:00 pm Mass (SM ) & (SJ)  
3:00 to 3:40pm Confessions (SJ)

### Sunday, May 25

8:30 am Mass (SM)  
10:00 am Mass (SJ)

### Faith Formation Classes :

CLASSES RESUME IN THE FALL

## Celebration for Father Donlon (SM&SJ) 50th Ordination Anniversary

Please join us  
on Saturday, May 31st

after the 4pm Vigil Mass at  
St. Michael's for a reception  
to celebrate Father Donlon's  
50th ordination anniversary.

## MASS INTENTIONS



St. Michael the Archangel (SM)



St. Jude the Apostle (SJ)

### Saturday, 5/17/2025- 4:00pm-St. Michael

Jim Brearton, *The Brearton Family*  
Jane Verrastro, *The Family*  
Anne Morgan, *The Clemenzi Family*  
Maurice Roy, Wedding Anniversary, 66 yrs  
*Wife, Takako Roy*  
Peter Whelan, Jr., *Judy Brearton, Jude,*  
*Sue & Kristin*  
Angelo DeGenero, *Carolyn O'Donnell*

### Sunday, 5/18/2025-8:30 am-St. Michael

Bill & Claire Kiley, *The Family*  
Betty Schlutow & Debra Caban, *Ed & Sharon*  
*Simonik*  
Mary Coffey, *George, her husband*  
The Intentions of Anthony Valenti, *Tony*  
*Sleasman*

### Monday, 5/19/2025-12:10pm-St. Michael

Susanne "Patsy" Alonzo, *Nicole Mestoik*  
Mary Ellen Agars, *Joan Tatarczuk*  
William P. Maloney, *The Tatarczuk*  
*Family*

### Tuesday, 5/20/2025-12:10pm--St Michael

For Vocations to Religious Life

### Thursday, 5/22/2025-12:10pm-St. Michael

Antionette Conway, 2nd Anniverssary,  
*The Conway Family*

### Saturday, 5/24/25-4:00pm-St. Michael

David Mattat, *Barbara Asadorian*  
David Evans, *Kay Leahy & Family*  
Joe & Lucy Rizzo, *The Children*  
Robert O'Brien, *The Stefanowicz Family*  
Anne Morgan, *The Clemenzi Family*  
Aunt Kitty, *Marge Carroll*

### Sunday, 5/25/25-8:30am-St. Michael

Angelo DeGenero, *Nancy Brown*  
The Intentions of Anthony Valente, *Tony*  
*Sleasman*

Mary Elizabeth

Thomas Chenot, *St. Michael's Women's Guild*

**Sanctuary light in Church: (SM)**  
**In Memory of Barbara White**  
**Love, Marie Raymond and Fiddlers**

**Sanctuary light in Chapel: (SM)**  
**World Peace**

**Sanctuary Candle (SJ)**  
**In thanksgiving for all of our dedicated**  
**Volunteers — giving tirelessly of their**  
**time and talents.**

### Saturday, 5/17/2025-4:00pm-St. Jude

Dennis Carl, *James G. Hannigan, Sr.*  
Mary Ann Elligott, *husband, Ron*  
Albert Mugrace, *Strack-Grinaldo Family*  
Barbara Bennett, *Bob & Doris Moak & Family*  
Ronald Elligott, *Bob & Doris Moak & Family*

### Sunday, 5/18/2025-10:00am-St. Jude

Don Meyer, *Jack & Maureen Rogers*  
Albert Mugrace, *Helen Skiba*  
Fran Perkinson, *Nancy Spain*  
David Reo,

### Monday, 5/19/2025—St. Jude

**CHILDREN'S MASS**  
**ALL ARE WELCOME**

**Wednesday, 5/21/2025- 8:00am- St. Jude**  
**For all going through medical challenges.**

### Saturday, 5/24/25-4:00pm-St. Jude

Paula Karius, *James G. Hannigan, Sr.*  
Pauline Ienco, *Anne and David Cannon*  
Antoinette Cioffi-Miller, *The Nadeau Family*  
Michael Horan, *Mary Jacobs*

### Sunday, 5/25/25-10:00am St. Jude

Fran Perkinson, *Phyllis Devery*  
Jennie Valente, *Mariann & Rusty Gallagher*  
David Reo, *Tony & Carrie Milanese*  
*& Family*

## SACRAMENTS

PARISH OFFICE (518) 283-6110 (SM) OR (518) 283-1162 (SJ)



BAPTISM, MARRIAGE, ANOINTING OF THE SICK, OCIA AND  
PASTORAL CARE:  
Please call Deacon Bob Sweeney at 518-283-6110 ext: 203



RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION:  
Saturday 3:00-3:40pm  
For May at St. Jude the Apostle  
For June at St. Michael the Archangel  
Or arranged by calling the Parish Office.



FAITH FORMATION, FIRST RECONCILIATION, FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION:  
Please call JoAnn and Steve Taylor at 518-283-6110 ext: 204

# Faith Formation

(SM & SJ)

Congratulations to our children who will receive their First Holy Communion this Sunday morning at St. Jude's.

There will be a Confirmation rehearsal this Sunday, May 18th, at 12:30 pm at St. Michael's. Confirmation will take place on Monday evening, May 19th at 6:30 pm at St. Michael's. 33 young adults will confirm their faith, with the Most Reverend Edward Scharfenberger presiding.

Faith Formation activities and events will continue throughout the summer. Our "Sleep In Heavenly Peace" bed building day is set for Saturday, August 2nd, and we will be busy raising money to allow us to build the beds. We will be holding a Vacation Bible School during the week of August 4th-8th. Registration will open soon, so plan to enroll your elementary children in this week's "True North" themed camp of trusting Jesus in this wild world!

## St. Jude the Apostle School

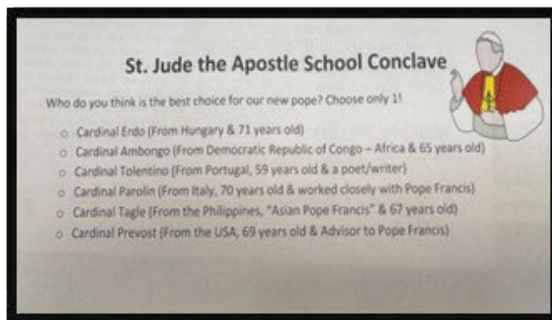
### St. Jude the Apostle School

#### Production of Annie and Electing a New Pope

Some really exciting happenings at the school these past couple weeks. Students learned about the process of the conclave and electing a new pope. Mrs. Hoffay made a ballot and the students elected a pope. It was announced through the school that there was white smoke and the cheers were heard outside the school. The students all gathered in the gym to wait for the announcement and the cheers were even louder when Pope Leo was announced because that's who they also choose.

Our production of Annie brought in a packed house both Thursday and Friday.

It was a wonderful show which both students and staff enjoyed very much.



## A Baby Shower!!

Collecting baby items for Moms and their babies, served by  
**Catholic Charities Community Maternity Services.**

***Below is list of the most needed items: (all new)***

- ❖ **Gift Cards from Target or Walmart**
- ❖ **Diapers, size newborn, size 5 and size 6**
- ❖ **Baby Wipes**
- ❖ **Baby Hygiene products, shampoo, body wash, diaper cream and baby lotions**
- ❖ **Baby Clothes size 2T to 4T**

Above are the most needed items; and also **new** infant, toddler, child clothes, blankets are always welcome.

**Jeremiah 1:5**

***"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,  
before you were born I dedicated you"***

Please drop off your donations at St. Michael's or St Jude's before or after weekend Masses, or during the week, Monday to Thursday: 9am to 3pm at St Michael's and 9am to 1pm at St Jude's  
We will be gladly accepting donations through Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup>!



## ST. MICHAEL'S WOMEN'S GUILD

### BEAUTIFUL KING SIZE QUILT RAFFLE

- The Women's Guild will be selling raffle tickets for a beautiful king size quilt in the Gathering Area on the weekends during the month of May. Tickets are 1 for \$3.00 or 2 for \$5.00. The drawing will be on June 2nd at the Women's Guild meeting.

### MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

- We will be holding our annual membership drive the weekend of May 17th & 18th. A table will be set up in the Gathering Area and a Women's Guild member will be available to answer any questions. Dues are \$5 a year and membership is open to every woman in St. Michael's parish. Please stop by the table for a chat and see what the Guild is about.

### SAVE THE DATES

- The Panera Fundraiser will be held on May 22nd from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the North Greenbush Road Panera's (across from HVCC). A fundraiser flyer must be presented at the time of the order. Flyers are on the table in the Gathering Area.

Come enjoy good food and support the Women's Guild.

- DINNER MEETING & INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS:**

Our next meeting is June 2nd and will be our dinner meeting and installation of officers. Dinner is at 5 pm at Roots Cafe, 705 Columbia Turnpike, East Greenbush. Choice of 3 entrees: Chicken Piccata, Eggplant Parmesan or Beef Stroganoff. Dinner includes salad, rolls, dessert, coffee and tea. Price is \$38. You can sign up at the Women's Guild table at the weekend Masses or contact Teresa Murphy at [teagarden4@verizon.net](mailto:teagarden4@verizon.net) or Marie Celeste at [marieceleste@nycap.rr.com](mailto:marieceleste@nycap.rr.com) to attend. Cut off date is May 27th. If you need a ride, please let us know. All women of St. Michael's parish are welcome to attend!

Thank you for your support of the  
Women's Guild

## ST. MICHAEL'S MEN'S CLUB

### Save the Date!

The Men's Club will be sponsoring their 2nd Annual Garage Sale/Tag Sale on Saturday, May 31 from 9AM to 1PM. Sign up for Tables has begun. Details available on the table in the Gathering Area.

The Men's Club will be holding their end of the year dinner on Monday, June 2 at 6PM at Chili's, 101 Van Rensselaer Square in Rensselaer. The cost is \$25 and includes any entree from the menu along with chips, salsa and soft drinks. All Men's Club members are encouraged to attend. Sign up in the Gathering Area after Mass or call the church office if you're interested.

## ST. MICHAEL'S MEGA RAFFLE

St. Michael's is holding our Annual Mega Raffle drawing on Sunday, June 8th following the 8:30 am Mass. There will be up to \$15,000 in prize money awarded:

First prize is \$5,000.

Second prize is \$3,000.

Third prize is \$2,000.

Fourth and Fifth prizes are \$1,000.

Sixth thru Ninth prizes are \$500.

Tenth thru Fourteenth are \$200.

Tickets will be sold beginning on April 26th after Masses in the Gathering Area or in the Church Office during normal business hours. Tickets are \$100.00 each. Consider selling tickets to your friends and neighbors. The seller of the first prize ticket wins the 5th prize of \$500. Thank you for your support of our largest fund raiser of the year!

## ST. MICHAEL'S STEWARDSHIP

### WEEKLY OFFERTORY FOR: 5/10—5/11/2025

\$ 3,397.00 (Offertory)

\$ 2,675.00 (E-Giving)

\$ 6,072.00 (TOTAL)

To cover our expenses for the week, we need \$6,675.00  
We are UNDER budget this week by \$603.00

### Second Collections

May 25 Catholic Church in Central & Eastern Europe

June 1 Catholic Communication

June 8 Parish Improvement & Building Maintenance

It is easy to donate to St. Michael's by scanning the QR code to be directed to our online giving page.

Thank you for your support.



## DIOCESAN APPEAL (SM)

The Diocesan Appeal supports vital pastoral ministries throughout the diocese and contributes to the essential formation of future priests and deacons. Your generosity will help ensure that those called to serve the Church receive the education, formation and spiritual support they need to become faithful and compassionate shepherds, modeled after Christ.

As of May 9th, the information provided by the Diocesan Stewardship Office follows:

GIFTS RECEIVED: 88

DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT \$43,310

AMOUNT RAISED: \$27,049

SHORTFALL: \$16,261

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.

## SAVE THE DATE(SJ & SM)

John Gray-author and speaker will be coming to Saint Jude's on Sunday, June 8th at 11:15am following Mass to talk about his new book, "The Carpenter's Son".

John will be signing books !  
(All are Welcome)



May is Mental Health Awareness Month.

Mental Health has gotten so much well-deserved attention these past couple of years, especially since our "lockdowns" with Covid. The National Alliance for Mental Illness has worked tirelessly to remove the stigma of mental illness. A combination of medication and psychotherapy can provide relief for those with mental illness. If you feel depressed, unable to cope, in need of help, call 988, a mental health hotline where you can get assistance.



## Garden & Grounds Help Needed (SJ)

Our church grounds/garden needs a seasonal refresh, and we could use your help to make it beautiful! We are especially in need of perennials and any healthy annuals you might have to share from your own gardens.

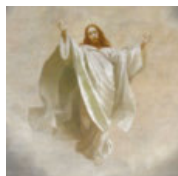
If you have extra plants or are willing to donate, please bring them by the church and leave near the outdoor statue and benches. If you have a green thumb and can help with planting these, please contact our parish office at 518-283-1162 or email [kellyh@rcda.org](mailto:kellyh@rcda.org)

Thank you for helping our garden grow!

## Need Service Hours? (SJ & SM)

Need service hours or just want to help out at the parish this summer? We're looking for teens and young adults to assist with organizing, indoor projects, and outdoor clean-up around the church grounds. It's a great way to give back, earn hours, and make a difference! For more info or to sign up, contact Kelly Hession at [kellyh@rcda.org](mailto:kellyh@rcda.org)

ASCENSION THURSDAY (SJ & SM)  
MAY 29TH, 2025



MASS AT ST. MICHAEL'S 12:10 PM

MASS AT ST. JUDE'S 5:30 PM

## PILGRIMAGE (SJ & SM)

How would you like to join the St. Jude's Rosary Altar Society on Saturday, May 31st for a pilgrimage to the Shrine of Kateri Tekawitha?

Bring a bag lunch, participate in the Three Sisters Festival.

There will be a group Rosary at 3:00 pm followed by Mass at 4:30pm.

There is no charge for this event — all are invited to participate—call Jo Flanigan at 518.894.1009 for more information.

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As of May 9th, the information provided by the Diocesan Stewardship Office follows:

GIFTS RECEIVED: 38  
DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT \$34,628  
AMOUNT RAISED: \$ 7,671  
SHORTFALL: \$26,957

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