

# The Catholic Community of ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL and ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 19, 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

#### **EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION**

St. Michael the Archangel Exposition, 11:30 am Tuesdays

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#### **OFFICE HOURS**

St. Michael the Archangel Monday-Thursday 9:00AM -2:00PM St. Jude the Apostle Monday-Thursday 9:00AM -1:00PM



We await you, O Lord our God, and you will hear us. No matter how long the battle lasts, we hold out in patience, for we are your children. We shall never lose the faith that your name shall be honored and that all things shall come into harmony with your will of peace on earth, your peace.

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- CHRISTOPHER HARRIS, Trustee (SJ)
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- ANN KOWALCZYK, Trustee (SM)
- KATHY ROSENBAUM, Trustee (SM)

#### PARISH CALENDARS

Monday, October 20

12:10 pm Mass (SM) 9:00 am Money Counting—Team 1 (SM) 9:00 am Food Ministry Delivery (SM) 9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall or outdoor track at LSI (SM & SJ)

10:30am Walking Club at LSI (SM & SJ) indoor lower gym

Tuesday, October 21 12:10 pm Mass (SM) 11:30 am EXPOSITÍON OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

9:30 am Opening of 2026 Mass Intention Book(SM) (Gathering Area)

1:00 pm Dominos (SM)

Wednesday, October 22

8:00 am Mass (SJ) 7:30 am Rosary (SJ)

9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall or outdoor track at LSI (SM & SJ) 9:30 am Crafty Ladies at (SM)

10:30am Walking Club at LSI (SM & SJ) 1:00pm 2nd Day Scheduling of 2026

Mass Intention Book (SM) (Gathering Area) 6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (SM) (Church)

Thursday, October 23 12:10 MASS (SM)

9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall or outdoor track at LSI (SM & SJ) 10:30am Walking Club at LSI (sm & sJ) indoor lower gym

Friday, October 24 Offices Closed (SM & SJ)

Saturday, October 25 4:00pm Mass (SM) & (SJ) 3:00pm—3:40 pm Reconciliation (SM)

Women's Guild Bake Sale after Mass (SM) (Gathering Area) 5:00pm—7:30pm Halloween Trunk or Treat (SM & SJ)

@ SM Parking Lot

(Gathering Area)

Sunday, October 26 8:30 am Mass (SM) 10:00 am Mass (SJ)

Faith Formation Classes: (SM & SJ)

K-6—9:30 am to 10:30 am (Kitchen, Hall, Annex) Women's Guild Bake Sale after Mass (SM)

Father Donlon,

We continue to thank you for celebrating Mass with us each week. We are truly grateful for your continued dedication, your dependable presence, and the gift of your priesthood.

Your service is a blessing to our parish community.



#### St. Michael the Archangel

Saturday, 10/18/2025-4:00pm-St. Michael

Anne & William Keegan, Daughter, Marianne VanDerhyden

Joseph Comitale (9th Anniversary), Wife Rebecca Grasso, Friends of St. Michael's Parish

Helen W. O'Brien, Teresa & Regan Murphy

Sunday, 10/19/2025-8:30am-St. Michael The Tedesco Family, Patricia Merola & Louise Mariano

Monday, 10/20/2025-12:10pm-St. Michael Joseph A. Prezio, The Family

Tuesday, 10/21/2025-12:10pm-St.Michael Bill Murphy (Birthday), Teresa & Regan Murphy

The Lynch & Storms Families, Sue

William Schultz, Rosemarie Joyce Anne Patrizio (Birthday), Family

Thursday, 10/23/025-12:10pm-St.Michael Nicholas Patrizio (Birthday), Family

Saturday, 10/25/2025-4:00pm-St. Michael Greg Condon, Estelle Condon Carol Hughes Tansey, Estelle Condon Antoinette Fischer, Estelle Condon Richard Fischer, Estelle Condon Bill Campbell, Wife, Barbara

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sunday, 10/26/2025-8:30am-St. Michael Linda Ward, Ed & Sharon Simonik

> Sanctuary Lamp (Church) **Jerry & Agnes Donnelly** Bv

> Old Friend, Marie Raymond

Sanctuary Lamp (Chapel) For All Parishioners and Friends of St. Michael and St. Jude Facing Medical Challenges

SAVE THE DATES All Saints' Day Mass November 1st (Sat) 11:00am (SJ)

All Souls' Day Mass November 2nd (Sun) 4:00pm (SJ)

**November 6th** (Thursday) All Souls' Memorial Prayer Service 6:00pm (SM)

#### St. Jude the Apostle

Saturday, 10/18/2025-4:00 pm— St. Jude Michael O'Brien, Jack & Maureen Rogers Lois Terry, James & Julia Cardany Ned Harley, Nadine & Family Mary McDade, Ada Rubino

Sunday, 10/19/2025-10:00 am- St. Jude Lois Terry, Marie & Joe Kruczlnicki Helen O'Brien, Debbie & Randy Moore

Wednesday, 10/22/2025-8:00am -St. Jude For Religious Vocations

Saturday, 10/25/2025-4:00pm- St. Jude Paula Karius, Husband, Bob Mary McDade, The Flanigan Family Anne & Anthony Chetko, Sr. The Family Lois Terry, Eric Maurer

Sunday, 10/26/2025-10:00 am– St. Jude Helen O'Brien, Marie & Joe Kruczlnicki Patricia McCarthy Schwartz, Daughters Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus, Knights of Columbus

> Sanctuary Lamp Gerealdine Whitby Robert Whitby

#### SACRAMENTS

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

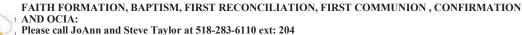


MARRIAGE, ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND PASTORAL

Please call the office: 518.283.6110



RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION: Saturday 3:00-3:40pm October at St. Michael's November at St. Jude's Or arranged by calling the Parish Office.



(SM & SJ)

# Faith Formation



Egg McMichael sandwiches are back this Sunday after the 8:30 am mass. Thank you to Evan Olivan & Aidan Oates for continuing this ministry after their Confirmation this past May. Both young men have been making these sandwiches for several years, and specifically asked if they could continue to serve the church in this capacity. Thank you, gentlemen!!



Save the date for our Halloween Trunk or Treat night on Saturday, October 25th from 6-7:30 pm! Cars may enter the parking lot at 6:00 pm to park and decorate their cars. We ask that you keep your children at your car until 6:30 for safety as cars enter the lot. Please bring treats to hand out from your trunk; we will start trunk or treating at 6:30 pm. Sixteen Handles will be in the parking lot selling frozen yogurt for dessert, and we are looking forward to a fun night!

It's not too late if you haven't registered your children for Faith Formation classes! Registration forms are available in the Gathering Area at St. Michael's, or you can also email <a href="mailto:ffstmichaels@gmail.com">ffstmichaels@gmail.com</a> for an electronic copy.

<u>Would you like to be a Faith Formation substitute?</u> If you are interested, please email JoAnn Taylor at ffstmichaels@gmail.com.

Would you like to be a member of the OCIA team? Email ffstmichaels@gmail.com for more information.

#### "REMADE FOR MISSION"

#### What is Remade for Mission?

It calls us to bring the Gospel to all, serve the needy, and build communities of faith and service. Each parish, no matter its size or history, plays a role in Christ's command to "go and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19). The goal of Remade for Mission is not just survival, but a renewed, unified Church that brings Christ's love to the world and supports its members and neighbors alike. As Pope Francis reminded us, we are called to be "a Church which goes forth," rooted in Christ, confident in hope, and alive in the Spirit.

For more information on Remade for Mission, check out the Diocesan website dedicated to

Remade for Mission: https://www.rcda.org/remadeformission

Also, a wonderful article written by Father Brian Kelly:

https://evangelist.org/news/2025/oct/08/foundations-for-a-flourishing-future/

Father Brian Kelly will be presenting an overview of the "Remade for Mission" this Sunday, October 19th at 5:00 pm at St. Ambrose Church, 347 Old Loudon Road, Latham. He will be answering questions.

The meeting is open to anyone who would like to attend.

The meeting may also be accessed through St. Ambrose YouTube page.

#### **WOMEN'S GUILD NEWS**

Next weekend is our Guild Fall Bake sale on Oct 25 and 26 before and after Masses! We are sure to have some great homemade goodies so loosen your belts and come prepared for a treat!

Fall is busy for the Guild members, so a reminder that Election Day will see us busy preparing homemade soups to share! Details to follow!

#### STEWARDSHIP -- SEPTEMBER 2025

September: Offertory: \$17,618.00 (online E giving) \$ 9,624.00 (TOTAL FOR SEPTEMBER)\$27,242.00 Average Monthly Budget \$26,667.00



\$27,242.00 - \$26,667.00 +\$575.00 September Surplus

It's easy to donate to St. Michael's by simply scanning the QR code above to support Saint Michael's securely and conveniently. Every donation, big or small, helps! We are grateful

#### ATTENTION ALL SNOW BIRDS!

Please let Maureen Fogarty know when you will be away. Hopefully

this will prevent us from mailing documents to your local address and have them returned, with the church having to pay postage. You may contact her at mfogarty@ccrcda.org or leave a message at (518) 283-6110 X 206. Thank you!

#### RESPECT LIFE ACTION

When a single Mom or family in need is facing a crises or unexpected pregnancy, they may not know where and how to find help. We have a resource for you — copies of "Walking with Mom's in Need" are available on the table in the Gathering Area.

Please feel free to take a copy, you may know of families who could use this information. Pray with the Sisters of Life, for all to honor the dignity and sanctity of all life. https://sistersoflife.org/what-we-do/prayer/pray-with-us/

2026 MASS INTENTION BOOK ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL SCHEDULING OF MASS INTENTIONS IN PERSON

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21ST and WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22ND 9:30AM — 1:30PM

in the Gathering Area of St. Michael's A time-saving idea — if you have several intentions, bringing in a prepared list helps speed along the process.

After October 22nd, we will take Mass intentions over the phone, regular mail, email or, in person in the office.

Please keep in mind that the maximum number of intentions for a Mass is 5. We are finding with 5 intentions, we can usually accommodate all requested intentions for a particular Mass.

Diocesan stipend for a Mass remains at \$15.

#### ST. MICHAEL'S DIOCESAN APPEAL 2025-2026

Whether joining together in marriage, welcoming new life, or saying a final goodbye to a loved one, St. Michael the Archangel family is present to celebrate, encourage and support. We support our families, married couples, or single persons, through a range of faith formation and enrichment ministries. We provide sacramental preparation, special activities for youth and young adults, and ongoing faith formation to guide us in our spiritual journeys. The Diocesan Appeal helps fund many of these programs.

As of October 10 the information posted by the Diocesan Stewardship Office follows:

Number of gifts: 22

Diocesan Assessment: \$46,007 Amount Raised: \$6,017

Please prayerfully consider your donation to the Diocesan Appeal.

Appeal envelopes are available at our entrances this weekend. You can also make a gift or pledge online using <a href="https://www.TheDiocesanAppeal.org">www.TheDiocesanAppeal.org</a> Online giving is safe and secure. Please be certain to specify your donation is for St. Michael's.

### WE OFTEN HEAR PEOPLE ASKING ABOUT FATHER MACKEY. FATHER ABSOLUTELY ENJOYS HEARING FROM PEOPLE.

Father's address is: Fr. James Mackey

c/o Teresian House

200 Washington Ave., Ext. Albany, New York 12203

St. Michael-October Second Collections

10/19 World Mission Sunday 10/26 Fuel and Heat



### SUPER RAFFLE TICKETS & ANNUAL CRAFT FAIR



Super Raffle tickets are on sale! Cost is \$100 per ticket and there are 11 chances to win between \$200 and \$5000. If you can't make it to Mass where tickets will be on sale, call or text Jo at 518-894-1009 or Mary at 518-229-4250 AND



Our Annual Craft Fair will be held on Saturday, November 8 from 9-3pm. Forty-five vendors will be selling their wares! Drawing for the super raffle other prizes and will be held beginning at 2:30 pm. Santa will be available for photos from 11 am until 1 pm!

Fun for all!

#### STEWARDSHIP - SEPTEMBER 2025

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# Parish Nurse

#### Support the Food Pantry at Doors of Hope

Saint Jude's is currently collecting hygiene items to support those in need within our community. Requested items include:

Deodorant Shampoo & Conditioner Body Wash / Bar Soap Feminine Products

**Toothpaste & Toothbrushes** 

Mouthwash Lotion

**Shaving Cream & Razors** 

**Combs & Brushes** 

**Tissues** 

**Hand Sanitizer** 

**Laundry Detergent (small bottles/packs)** 

Donations may be dropped off in the large wooden bin in the front entrance of the church. Thank you for your generosity and care for our neighbors in need.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS — FALL LITTER PATROL

You're invited to help with the Fall Litter Patrol on Saturday Oct 25. Meet at the Williams Rd base-ball fields at 8am. We will have plastic bags and split up to pick up litter from St Michaels to the Hoffman Car Wash. This event is open to all parishioners and is a good way to clean up and take care of our community and environment. Sponsored each Fall and Spring by the St Jude's Knights of Columbus, this usually takes about an hour.

#### St. Jude the Apostle Annual Veterans' Day Mass

St. Jude the Apostle Church, will host its Annual Veterans' Day Mass at 10:30 a.m. on November 11, 2025. Veterans will participate in a procession and in various parts of the Mass proper. A list of Veterans being remembered in the Mass will be distributed along with the program. At the conclusion of the Mass, the assemblage will proceed to the front of St. Jude's School for a special ceremony that will include a solemn flag hoisting, a short prayer, and the playing of taps. The American Legion Post # 1489 will host a luncheon at noon for all who attend.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS — COATS FOR KIDS

The Knights of Columbus are currently seeking donations for their annual *Coats for Kids* program, which provides warm winter coats to children in need within our community. Your generous contribution can help ensure that no child goes without proper winter clothing during the cold months ahead. If you are aware of a child who may be in need of a winter coat, please contact the parish office for assistance. Together, we can make a difference—one coat at a time. In addition we are always looking for new members.

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