



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

Second Sunday of Easter
April 27, 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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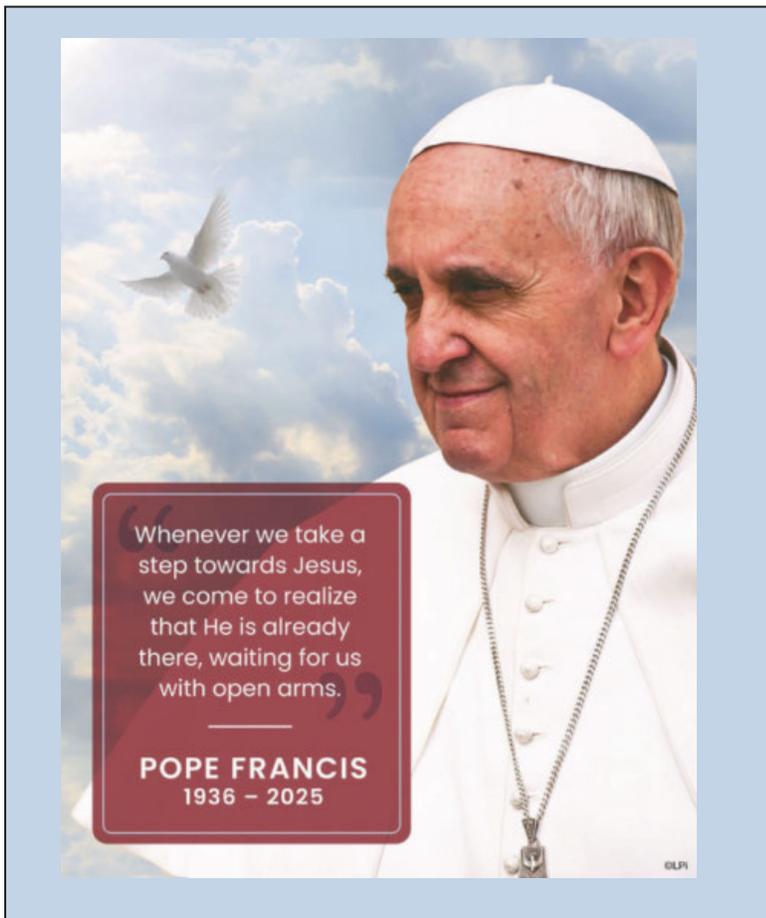
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PARISH CALENDARS

Monday, April 28

8:50am Children's Mass (SJ)

12:10pm Mass (SM)

9:00am Money Counting Team 4 (SM)

9:00am Food Ministry Delivery

9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall

(SM&SJ)

10:30 am Walking Club at LSI

(SM& SJ)

Tuesday, April 29

12:10 pm Mass (SM)

11:30 am Exposition (SM)

1:00 pm Dominos, Hall (SM)

Wednesday, April 30

8:00am 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)

6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal (SM)

Thursday, May 1

9:00am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM& SJ)

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

Friday, May 2

Offices Closed (SM & SJ)

Saturday, May 3

4:00 pm Mass (SM) & (SJ)

*(FIRST COMMUNION) @ (SM)

*Faith Formation Children

3:00 to 3:40pm Confessions (SM)

8:00 am Spring Litter Patrol (SJ)*

*(Meet at the Parish Offices)

Sunday, May 4

8:30 am Mass (SM)

10:00 am Mass* (SJ)

*(FIRST COMMUNION) @ (SJ)

*(St. Jude's School Children)

Faith Formation Classes :

CLASSES RESUME IN THE FALL

DIOCESAN APPEAL

Catholic Charities continues to serve our neighbors in a number of ways. In 2023, Catholic Charities increased access to nutritious food for 33,323 individuals through food pantries and programs. 10,969 individuals received assistance with essential needs such as housing, utilities and transportation. 21,129 individuals benefited from programs that facilitated recovery or reduced harm from addiction and serious mental illness. Won't you please help so that Catholic Charities can continue to provide these essential services to people in our diocese?

As of April 16 the information posted by the Diocesan Stewardship Office follows:

Number of gifts: 80

Diocesan Assessment: \$43,310

Amount Raised: \$25,421

Shortfall: \$17,889

Percentage towards goal: 58.7% This year's campaign runs July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025.

The Diocesan Appeal is an assessment. St. Michael's is responsible for the full amount of the assessment. Therefore, the amount of the shortfall is the responsibility of St. Michael's.

MASS INTENTIONS



St. Michael the Archangel (SM)



St. Jude the Apostle (SJ)

Saturday, 4/26/2025- 4:00pm-St. Michael

David Matatt, *St. Michael's Men's Club*

John Kennedy, *Aunt Carol O'Connor*

Angelo DeGenero, *The Karius Family*

Carol Goodermote, *Janet Simmons*

Anne Morgan, *The Clemenzi Family*

Sunday, 4/27/2025-8:30am-St. Michael

Susan Kuhlmeier, Ed & Sharon Simonik

Monday, 4/28/2025-12:10pm-St. Michael

For the Holy Spirit's Guidance as the Conclave Convenes

Tuesday, 4/29/2025-12:10pm--St. Michael

For those Mourning the Loss of Loved One

Thursday, 5/01/2025-12:10pm-St. Michael

For all intentions on this National Day of Prayer

Saturday, 5/03/2025- 4:00pm-St. Michael

Terry Allen, *Lala*

Mary Alice VanAuken, *Daughter*

Judy Phelps, *Loving Family*

David Evans, *Asadorian Family*

Rosemary Suriano, *Patricia*

DeCrescenzo-Burke

James & Mary Carroll, *The Family*

Anne Morgan, *The Clemenzi Family*

Sunday, 5/04/2025--8:30 am-St. Michael

Jules Jacobson (3rd Anniversary) *Wife, Ann*

Angelo DeGenero, *Bob & Ann Kowalczyk*

Sanctuary light in Church: (SM)

For the Conclave during the process of the selection of a new Pope

Sanctuary light in Chapel: (SM)

For the Homeless, that they find Shelter

Sanctuary Candle (SJ)

For those facing medical challenges for their strength and healing

Saturday, 4/26/25-4:00pm-St. Jude

Harold Cannon, *Anne & David Cannon*

Albert Mugrace, *The Frost Family*

Ned & Pat Harley, *The Family*

William H. Tymeson, Jr., *The Family*

Sunday, 4/27/25-10:00am St. Jude

Alice & Joe Hunt, *Mary Ellen Hunt*

Kim Myers, *Pam Magnotta*

Monday, 4/28/2025--St. Jude

CHILDREN'S MASS

ALL ARE WELCOME

Wednesday, 4/29/2025- 8:00am- St. Jude

For the Special Intentions of Parishioners and Friends of St. Jude the Apostle Parish

Saturday, 5/03/2025-4:00pm-St. Jude

Colleen Bornhorst, *Father*

Harry Hannigan, *Son*

Al Mugrace, *Nadine Fong*

Angelo DeGenero, *Jack & Maureen Rogers*

Sunday, 5/04/2025-10:00am-St. Jude

Joseph Frost, *Mom, Dad, Matt & Tave*

Joanne Cioffi Brooks, *Irene Chouidard*

Shirley Catone, *Kim, Mary Beth, Michelle*

Adekes

Al Mugrace, *Pollock & Bayliss Families*

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 April at St. Michael the Archangel

For May at St. Jude the Apostle

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)

This Sunday is a busy day for Faith Formation!!

Our Confirmation students and sponsors will have a Candlelight and Water Ceremony. At this service, the candidate and sponsor will bless each other with Holy Water. In addition, the sponsor will light a baptismal candle from the Paschal Candle, and hand it to the child. We remember that the candle lit at baptism represents the light of Christ, and it was kept by their parents and godparents. Now, at Confirmation, we remind them that they are now their own keepers of the light. The Sacrament of Confirmation Mass will be held on Monday, May 19th at 6:30 pm.

Our First Communicants will also be in church rehearsing for their First Communion Masses. 20 children will be making First Communion next Saturday, May 3rd at the 4 pm mass at St. Michael's. 8 children will receive their Sacrament on Sunday, May 18th at St. Jude's 10 am mass.

Finally, this Sunday concludes our Faith Formation classes for the year. We thank our students for their eagerness to learn about our Lord and Savior. Thank you to our parents who worked to make time for this commitment to the Church.

Finally, thank you to the incredible catechists who volunteered their time and talents to spread the Word of God.

We will continue to have activities and events for the children 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!



Thank you to everyone who did **so much** to make St. Michael's & St. Jude's Easter celebration both blessed and meaningful: the people who decorated the altars, parked the cars, brought flowers for the church and chapel, raised voices in songs, our music ministries, delivered flowers to the shut ins, sent cards, participated in The Last Supper and coordinated the community dinner afterwards, made some children very happy by donating Easter Baskets plus all the acolytes, ushers, Eucharistic Ministers and lectors. A special thanks to Fr. Tim and Deacon Bob for leading us on our Easter journey and the staff for all they do behind the scenes!

May we continue to carry the spirit of service, dedication, cooperation and love for one another into the Easter Season and beyond. What faith-filled parishes!

A HAPPY RETIREMENT SEND OFF

Please join us on April 26th and 27th to say farewell to Theresa Reid, who is retiring from St Michael's Parish after a number of years. She is an unsung hero who kept the necessary day to day activities of the parish coordinated on a daily basis! We will host a small reception after each mass. If you cannot stop by, we will have a basket for farewell cards/notes at both receptions or in the parish office beginning this week. Let's give her a fond St Michael's parish send off!

happy
Retirement



BEGINNING AT 2:00 PM

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Rosary | Confessions
Veneration of the Image

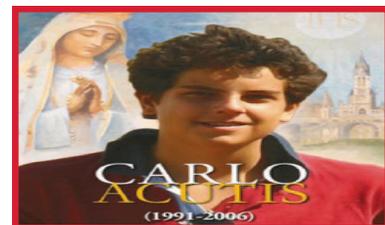
BEGINNING AT 3:00 PM

We will pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.
Benediction and Mass to follow

- Street parking and a parking lot off Monroe Street is available. Accessible entrance and restrooms. Items for sale. Free will offering for our Organ Restoration

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
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JOIN US IN CELEBRATING
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
APRIL 27, 2025

DUE TO THE DEATH OF POPE FRANCIS,
THE CANONIZATION OF ST. CARLO ACUTIS
WHICH WAS TO TAKE PLACE APRIL 27TH
HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL A LATER DATE



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 May. The drawing will be on June 2nd at the Women's Guild meeting. There will be no 50/50 in May.

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 DATE

Our June dinner meeting and installation of officers will be held on Monday, June 2nd. Stay tuned for more details.

DO YOU LIKE NUMBERS?

The Women's Guild is looking for a Treasurer to join our slate of officers. If interested, or for more information, please contact President Caroline Martin at carolinem1947@outlook.com.

OUR NEXT MEETING

Is Monday, May 5th at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall. All women of St. Michael's Parish are invited to attend.

The winner of the April 50/50, Marianne VanDerhyden, donated her winnings of \$38.00 back to the Women's Guild. Thank you for your generosity Marianne!

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 will begin after Easter. More info to follow.

Attention All High School Seniors!

The Women's Guild and Men's Club are offering a **\$1000** Scholarship to a qualifying High School senior who plans to attend college next year.

Applications are now available on the table in the Gathering Area.

Application Deadline is April 27.

Pick up your application today!

SPRING 2025 BIBLE STUDY

Women of the Old Testament — Part 1

We will meet on Sundays at 12:00 pm with the exception of the first week (April 27th) we will meet at 12:30 pm in St. Michael's Annex for a 6-week study starting Sunday, April 27th

For Questions

Please call Ted Close at (518) 527.9938
or call the Parish Office at (518) 283.6110

ST. MICHAEL'S STEWARDSHIP

WEEKLY OFFERTORY FOR:

4/19—4/20/2025 Palm Sunday

\$ 2,197.00 (Offertory)

\$ 2,651.00 (E-Giving)

\$ 4,848.00 (TOTAL)

To cover our expenses for the week, we need \$6,675.00
We are UNDER budget this week by \$1,827.00

EASTER \$6,191.00

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.



SOCIAL JUSTICE

A huge thank you from the Social Justice Ministry to all the parishioners & LaSalle participants who provided the wonderful Easter baskets for the children in Rensselaer. It will bring such happiness to children receiving these baskets. Your generosity is so appreciated.

The baskets were delivered to the Circles of Mercy for distribution on April 10th & 14th. We had 53 from St. Michael's & 44 from LaSalle Institute.

Again, thank you all. Hope you had a blessed and Happy Easter.



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!

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY (SJ)

PILGRIMAGE

How would you like to join the 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



Memory lapses are common at any age. As we get older, they seem to be more frequent, like losing your car keys or forgetting where you parked your car at the grocery store. Things you have learned only recently are the hardest to remember because they have not taken root in your mind. Forgetting things can happen readily if you are tired, ill or stressed. Quick tips to improve your memory include:

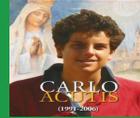
Get organized-designate specific areas for your keys, cell phone, eyeglasses and put these items back after each use.

Write things down-appointments, birthdays telephone numbers etc.-just by writing them done help you recall things.

EASTER MEMORIAL CROSSES



CANONIZATION



Due to the death of Pope Francis, the Canonization of Carlo Acutis has been postponed until a later date.

Carlo, Acutis, known for his deep devotion to the Catholic faith and his adept use of technology to share religious content, is set to become the first millennial saint. Pope Francis has officially recognized a second miracle attributed to Acutis and approved his canonization. He passed away in 2006 at the age of 15 due to leukemia. He has been admired for his work in creating a website documenting Eucharistic miracles worldwide. His beatification took place in October 2020, and the recent recognition of a second miracle—an essential step in the process—marks the final phase towards sainthood.

LIVING WITH LOSS

The Living with Loss group will be meeting at 2:30 pm on Thursday, May 15 at the Parish Office and then proceeding to the Lakeview restaurant for a gathering.

The current group has been meeting for quite some time and will be celebrating our successes.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



SPRING LITTER PATROL

Celebrate Earth Day with the St. Jude's Knights on Saturday, May 3rd from 8:00 am to 9:00 am. Meet at the Parish Office at 8:00 am so we can be done before traffic gets busy. We will pick up litter along Williams and Whiteview Roads from St. Michael's Church to the car wash.

BOTTLE DRIVE

Thank you to all who bring empty bottles to the 6 cent Redemption Center on Main Avenue in Wynantskill. This is an important fundraiser for the annual Coats for Kids project. Just drop off your bottles and say that they are for St. Jude's Knights of Columbus and they do the rest. Thank you !



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