

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

Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles June 29, 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

PLEASE NOTE, NO MONDAY MASS AT ST. JUDE'S WHEN SCHOOL IS NOT IN SESSION — SCHOOL IS ON SUMMER RECESS

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

CONTACT US

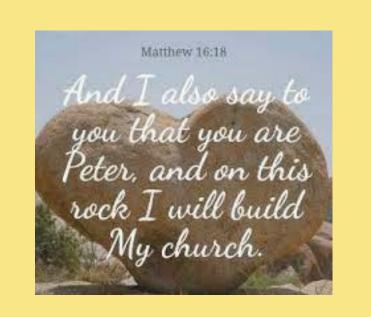
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OFFICE HOURS

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

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As we celebrate the Fourth of July, we give thanks to God for the gift of freedom and pray for our country, its leaders, and its people.

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NEWS FOR OUR PARISHES !



We are happy to announce that Father Joe O'Brien has been assigned as permanent Priest in Residence to St. Jude the Apostle and St. Michael the Archangel parishes. He will be joining us for Mass starting the week of July 7th.



We extend our heartfelt thanks to Father Ennis for his time, support, and unwavering commitment to our communities. We are so grateful for all he has given us and will miss him tremendously!

Please join us for a farewell reception where both of our parishes will honor Father Ennis on Saturday, June 28th and Sunday, June 29th at St. Jude's after the 4:00 pm and 10:00 am Masses in St. Jude's School gymnasium.



A HAPPY RETIREMENT SEND OFF

Please join us on July 19th and July 20th to say farewell to Deacon Bob Sweeney who is retiring from St. Michael's Parish after a number of years. Deacon Bob has been a light of faith to all. We will host a reception after each Mass in the St. Michael's Parish Hall. 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.

PARISH CALENDARS Monday, June 30 MASS 12:10 pm Mass (SM) 9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM & SJ) 9:00 am Money Counting—Team 4 (SM) 10:30 am Walking Club at LSI (SM & SJ) Tuesday, July 1 12:10 pm Mass (SM) 11:30am Exposition (SM) 1:00 pm Dominos (SM) Wednesday, July 2 8:00 am MASS (SJ) 9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM & SJ) 10:30 am Walking Club at LSI (SM & SJ) 9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM & SJ) 10:30 am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM & SJ) 10:30 am Walking Club at SM Hall (SM & SJ) 10:30 am Walking Club at LSI (SM & SJ)	Friday, July 4 Offices Closed (SM & SJ) Image: Constant of the second state of the second st	A Prayer for Peace Lord, we pray for the power to be gentle; the strength to be forgiving; the patience to be un- derstanding; and the endurance to accept the consequences of holding to what we believe to be right. May we put our trust in the power of good to overcome evil and the power of love to over- come hatred. We pray for the vision to see and the faith to believe in a world emancipated from violence, a new world where fear shall no longer lead men to commit injustice, nor selfishness make them bring suffering to others. Help us to devote our whole life and thought and energy to the task of making peace, pray- ing always for the inspiration and the power to fulfill the destiny for which we and all men were created.		
St. Michael the Archangel	MASS INTENTIONS	St. Jude the Apostle		
Saturday, 6/28/2025-St. Michael David Evans, Judy Brearton & Family Claire Kiley, Herb, Kathy & Margie Bradley Anne Morgan, The Clemenzi Family Caroline Weichsel, The Flanigan Family Patricia Durivage, The Masoway Family Sunday, 6/29/2025-St. Michael Mr. & Mrs. William Schlutow, Ed & Sharon Simonik Peggy Cross & Bridget Nettleton, Lisa Cross John Beaudoin, Wife, Lois & Family Monday, 6/30/25-12:10pm-St. Michael For those mourning the loss of a loved one. Tuesday, 7/01/2025-12:10pm-St Michael Lee Kaplan, Teresa & Regan Murphy Mary Foss, Daughter, Dee & Family Carl Smyers, The Family Lorraine O'Keefe, Dolores Long Thursday, 7/03/2025-St. Michael For the United States of America Saturday, 7/05/2025-St. Michael Anne Morgan, The Clemenzi Family Paul Burek (3rd Anniversary), Colleen Cain	Sunday, 7/06/2025Gloria, Doug, Suzanne& Pat O'Keefe Beattie, The Beattie Famil Kathleen Murphy, Bob & Ann KowalczykSanctuary light in Church: (SM) Fr. Tim Ennis, A Thank You From Marie RaymondSanctuary light in Chapel: From Marie RaymondSanctuary light in Chapel: Mass with us each week. Ware truly grateful for your continued dedication, your of pendable presence, and the gift of your priesthood. Your service is a blessing to our parish community.	kk Dawn Amick, The Webb Family William H. Tymeson, Jr., The Family Sunday, 6/29/2025-10:00am-St. Jude Richard & Grace Collins, Their Children Monday—6/30/2025-St. Jude NO 8:50 am MASS WHEN SCHOOL IS IN RECESS — IT IS SUMMER RECESS Wednesday, 7/02/2025-8:00am-St. Jude For Those Facing Food Insecurity Saturday, 7/05/2025—4:00pm-St. Jude Joann Brochu, Father Ernest & Eva Chartrand, The Family Sunday, 7/06/2025-10:00am-St. Jude Jennie Valente, Michael & Michele Masone de- Sanctuary Light (SJ) World Peace		
SACRAMENTS PARISH OFFICE (518) 283-6110 (SM) OR (518) 283-1162 (SJ) Image: BAPTISM, MARRIAGE, ANOINTING OF THE SICK, OCIA AND PASTORAL CARE: Please call Deacon Bob Sweeney at 518-283-6110 ext: 203 Image: Reconciliation/confession: Saturday 3:00-3:40pm Image: For June at St. Michael the Archangel For June at St. Michael the Archangel For July at St. Jude's Or arranged by calling the Parish Office. Image: For June at St. Michael the Archangel For July at St. Jude's Or arranged by calling the Parish Office.				

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

Faith Formation

Planning has begun for Faith Formation 2025-2026! We are looking closely at our program and making changes for learning our faith! We could use a few more catechists or substitutes to help us out. If you are interested, please email JoAnn Taylor at <u>ffstmichaels@gmail.com</u>. The future of our church is with our children, let's work to give them the strongest and most vibrant program ever!

Planning is underway for our Vacation Bible School during the week of August 4th-8th (8:45-11:45 am). Registration is open for children grades K-5, and the cost is \$30 per child. Enroll your children/grandchildren in this "True North" camp of trusting Jesus in our wild world. Registration forms are located in the Gathering Areas of both churches, or you can email <u>ffstmichaels@gmail.com</u> to request an electronic copy. Completed forms can be left in the church office or dropped in the collection basket in an envelope labeled : "VBS - Attn:JoAnn Taylor". Forms can also be returned electronically.

We are looking for older students to help with Vacation Bible School! If your child is interested, please email <u>ffstmichaels@gmail.com</u>. This is a great way for our Confirmation candidates to complete some service hours for our church.

We are working hard to raise money for our bed project on August 2nd. For every \$250 that we raise, another child gets a bed! <u>If you would like to support this effort, please make checks payable to St. Michael's Par-ish, and in the memo section please write "SHP bed project".</u> Please label your envelope to the attention of JoAnn Taylor, and either place it in the collection basket or leave it in the parish offices. Your support is greatly appreciated, and is helping our local community. We recently received a call from a Troy School principal, asking how to request beds for a needy family. Help us make a difference in this world!



ST. JUDE'S CHRISTMAS IN JULY



St. Jude's Christmas in July Tickets will be on sale after Mass and in the St. Jude Parish Office until July 15. Tickets are \$10 each or 3 for \$25. Each day a ticket will be drawn beginning July 1-the winner will receive \$50. On July 25th, the winner will receive \$1000! Please call Mary Dworakowski at 518,229,4250 or Jo Flanigan at 518,894,1009 with any guestions.

ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE SCHOOL IS HIRING

The school is still looking for substitute teachers, a teacher assistant and a principal's assistant. The teacher assistant hours are 7:30-3, pay rate of \$16.75/hr. Pension and benefits are available for teacher assistants. The principal's assistant is a part-time position, 2/3 days a week; those days are flexible. If you are interested or know someone interested in any of these positions, please call the school office for an application and more information 518-283-0333.

ST. MICHAEL'S MEN'S CLUB

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, 7/26, 4:15-5:30 pick up for a Men's Club take out Chicken Parm Dinner, inclusive of :

Ziti, garden salad, bread butter, dessert. \$17 per dinner or \$20 will include a raffle ticket for \$100 worth of NYS Scratchoffs .

Enjoy a delicious dinner while supporting the Men's Club.

Bill Prendergast Pres. SMMC

ROSARY

Do you know that the Rosary is recited after the 12:10pm Mass on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday Please join us!

Sharing A Talent (SM & SJ)

Have a gift you'd like to share with your parish community? We'd love to hear from you! Our parish has many needs and opportunities to serve, and your time and talents could make a real difference. Whether you sing, sew, organize, design, garden, fix, teach—or simply have a heart for helping—there's a place for you here. Please contact Kelly at kellyh@rcda.org

ST. MICHAEL'S STEWARDSHIP

WEEKLY OFFERTORY FOR: 6/21-6/22/2025

<u>\$ 3,107.00</u> (Offertory)

<u>\$ 2,647.00</u> (E-Giving)

<u>\$ 5,754.00 (TOTAL)</u>

To cover our expenses for the week, we need \$6,675.00 We are UNDER budget this week by \$921.00

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.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY ALTAR LINENS

Do You Love to Iron?!

Saint Michael's is looking for volunteers to help with ironing our altar linens and cloths. This behind-the-scenes ministry is a meaningful way to serve and care for the sacred space of our church. If you enjoy ironing and want to help, we'd love to hear from you! Please call our parish and leave your name and contact information.



VALLEY CATS OUTING ST. JUDE'S & ST. MICHAEL'S PARISHES

SAVE THE DATE ! SUNDAY, AUGUST 10TH

DETAILS TO FOLLOW



DIOCESAN APPEAL (SM)

As the funds for this year's campaign **must be received by the diocese by Monday**, June 30 the only way to contribute towards this year's campaign is by donating online at <u>https://thediocesanappeal.org/</u><u>donate/</u> Please indicate St. Michael-Troy.

As of 6/20 the information received by the Diocesan Stewardship Office follows:

Number of Gifts: 111

Diocesan Assessment:\$ 43,310Amount Raised:\$ 33,340Shortfall:\$ 9,970

Percentage towards goal: 77% This year's campaign ends Monday.

Thank you to those who have so generously given to the campaign.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



<u>Chicken BBQ</u>: Mark your calendars! Our annual Guiliano's chicken BBQ will be Friday August 29 at the parish school parking lot from 4 to 6pm. BBQ is \$15 and consists of a half chicken, baked potato, corn on the cob, coleslaw, and dinner roll. Pickup only. Call or text (518) 857-0424 or email <u>sjc.koc@gmail.com</u>. All proceeds support the Coats for Kids project.

Red Cross Blood Drive

Many thanks to all who came out to donate to our annual blood drive on Saturday, June 24. We collected 25 total products which will be able to help many people in need.

ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE STEWARDSHIP



Weekly offertory amounts may vary from

week to week, as some parishioners choose to make their contributions on a monthly basis.

Also, our revenue goal is based on the 2024 budget. A new budget and fiscal year begins July 1, 2025.

Your contribution makes a difference. Simply scan the QR code above to support Saint Jude's securely and conveniently. Every donation, big or small, helps!

We are grateful for your continued generosity and support!

SEEKING VOLUNTEER(S)

Saint Jude's is currently looking for a volunteer (or team) to help create and maintain a website for our parish. This is a wonderful opportunity to contribute your skills in a meaningful way and help us enhance our communication, outreach, and connection with the wider community.

If you're interested or would like to learn more, please contact Kelly Hession at kellyh@rcda.org

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Rosary Altar Society members who are donating to in the Damien Center Dinner on June 30 must bring their donations to the St. Jude Parking lot no later



Tick borne diseases continue to rise in the US since 2001. There are many precautions that can help reduce your chances of contracting Lyme Disease or other tick-borne illnesses. If you plan on hiking in the woods, wear long sleeve shirts, long pants and pull your socks up to cover your pant legs. Use insect repellent before going outside. Check your dogs or cats when they come inside. They frequently bring ticks inside. If you develop fever, chills, nausea or a rash, consult a medical professional for

DIOCESAN APPEAL (SJ) <u>Matching Gift Challenge</u> June 25-30

We're excited to share that a generous parishioner has offered to match every gift made to the Diocesan Appeal THIS WEEK—from June 25 through June 30! That means every dollar you give will be doubled!

This year's Diocesan Appeal ends June 30, and we still have time to meet—and even exceed—our parish goal.

Parish Assessment : \$34,628 Raised So Far: \$10,421

Every gift, no matter the size, brings us closer. With your support, we can close the gap together! Please know: None of the funds raised will be used for CVA

-related expenses. The Diocesan Appeal supports vital ministries that directly impact our parish and community including Human Resources, faith formation, vocations, and outreach programs.

In fact, Saint Jude's has benefited tremendously from the support of the diocesan offices. Thanks to their help, we have received guidance and personnel including Fr. Ennis, Kelly Hession, and soon, Fr. Joe O'Brien. Our parish remains in regular contact with the Diocese for support with Human Resources, Finance, Compliance, and more—ensuring we follow all the proper procedures and policies.

We are grateful for your generosity and commitment to our parish and community. Let's make the most of this matching opportunity and finish strong—together! Please use the link below and specify Saint Jude's the Apostle, Wynantskill. <u>https://thediocesanappeal.org/</u> <u>onetimegift/</u> St. Jude the Apostle School Congratulations to all our graduates!! We hope you all enjoy your summer!









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