



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

Third Sunday of Easter
May 4, 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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OFFICE HOURS

St. Michael the Archangel Monday-Thursday 9:00AM – 3:00PM	St. Jude the Apostle Monday-Thursday 9:00AM – 1:00PM
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GOD BLESS OUR CHILDREN
MAKING THEIR
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
THIS WEEKEND

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PARISH CALENDARS

Monday, May 5

8:50am Children's Mass (SJ)
 12:10pm Mass (SM)
 9:00am Money Counting Team 1 (SM)
 9:00 am Walking Club at SM Hall(SM&SJ)
 10:30am Walking Club at LSI (SM&SJ)
 6:00 pm Men's Club Pizza , Annex (SM)
 6:30 pm Men's Club Meeting, Annex (SM)
 6:30 pm Women's Guild Meeting, Hall (SM)

Tuesday, May 6

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

Wednesday, May 7

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 8

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

Friday, May 9

Offices Closed (SM & SJ)

Saturday, May 10

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

Sunday, May 11—Mother's Day

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

Faith Formation Classes :

CLASSES RESUME IN THE FALL

DIOCESAN APPEAL

Gifts to the Diocesan Appeal are significant in underwriting the education of the men who have been formed to be dedicated and faithful servants for the parishes of the diocese. Whether impacting vocations, parish mission support, parish operational support, or all three, donors are investing in the current life and future of our parishes.

As of April 25 the information provided by the Diocesan Stewardship Office follows:

GIFTS RECEIVED: 82
 DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT \$43,310
 AMOUNT RAISED: \$25,472
 SHORTFALL: \$17,838

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.

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

MASS INTENTIONS

● St. Michael the Archangel (SM) ● St. Jude the Apostle (SJ)

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*
 For the Intentions of Anthony Valente
Tony Sleasman

Monday, 5/05/2025-12:10pm-St. Michael
 For those who have no one to pray for them

Tuesday, 5/06/2025-12:10pm--St Michael
 Carl Smyers, *Wife, Rosemary*

Thursday, 5/08/2025-12:10pm-St. Michael
 For all who are discerning a religious vocation

Saturday, 5/10/2025— 4:00pm-St. Michael
 For All Mothers of St. Michael's Parish both Living and Deceased

Sunday, 5/11/2025-8:30am-St. Michael
 For All Mothers of St. Michael's Parish both Living and Deceased

Sanctuary light in Church: (SM)
 Derek Murphy by Sue Ellen, John, John and Sean

Sanctuary light in Chapel: (SM)
 For the Holy Spirit's Guidance as the Conclave Convenes

Sanctuary Candle (SJ)
 For All Caretakers

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 & Tye*
 Joanne Cioffi Brooks, *Irene Chouidard*
 Shirley Catone, *Kim, Mary Beth, Michelle*
Adekes
 Al Mugrace, *Pollock & Bayliss Families*

Monday, 5/05/2025—St. Jude

CHILDREN'S MASS
 ALL ARE WELCOME

Wednesday, 5/07/2025— 8:00am- St. Jude
 For those going through Medical Challenges

Saturday, 5/10/25-4:00pm-St. Jude

Jerrie Richards, *Her Loving Husband*
 Mary & Michael Higgins, *Mary McDade*
 David & Dorothy Castle, *Castle Kids*
 Irene Mozjesik, *Nicole & Don Heckelman*
 Vickie Gilooly, *Her Husband, Al*

Sunday, 5/11/25-10:00am St. Jude

For All Mothers and Women who have been significant in the lives of children.

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)

This Saturday, we celebrate First Holy Communion for 20 children at St. Michael's 4 pm mass. We will have our second First Communion Mass for 8 students at St. Jude's 10 am mass on May 18th.

Last week, our Confirmation students and sponsors attended a Candlelight and Water Ceremony. At this service, the candidates and sponsors blessed each other with Holy Water. In addition, the sponsor lit a baptismal candle from the Paschal Candle, and handed it to the child. We remembered 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.



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!

St. Jude the Apostle School Remembers Pope Francis

Students made a memorial for our dear Pope Francis. There are empty vases for the students to bring flowers in each morning. We are up to 6 full vases. During morning assembly, each morning, the students have been praying for our Pope, along with still praying, they have learned about the process that happens when the Pope passes, especially the conclave. Mrs. Hoffay turned on the live coverage so they could see how many people waited to pay their respects,



Please pray for our First communicants who make their 1st Communion at 10:00 Mass this weekend.

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 DATES

- The Panera Fundraiser is coming!
When: May 22nd from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm.
Details to follow.
- 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.

ST. MICHAEL'S MEN'S CLUB

Our Men's Club meeting will be Monday, May 5th in the Annex
Please Join Us for Pizza at 6:00 pm
Meeting Begins at 6:30 pm
Please Join Us
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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.

SPRING 2025 BIBLE STUDY

Women of the Old Testament — Part 1

We will meet on Sundays at 12:00 pm
St. Michael's Annex for a 6-week study starting
Began on 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: 4/26—4/27/2025

\$ 3,289.00 (Offertory)

\$ 2,686.00 (E-Giving)

\$ 5,975.00 (TOTAL)

To cover our expenses for the week, we need \$6,675.00
We are UNDER budget this week by \$700.00

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.



THANK YOU FROM THERESA REID

My dear friends of St. Michael the Archangel Parish,

I want to express my heartfelt gratitude, love and admiration for all you did for me while I served as Parish Administrator of St. Michael. I humbly ask you to continue your selfless acts of kindness, your unwavering support for St. Michael and its staff, along with your beautiful welcoming spirit to all who enter through the doors of St. Michael.

Please know, I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.

With every grace and blessing, Theresa

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



Are you having problems sleeping at night? Sleep is so important for our immune system and our overall health. Here are some helpful tips: Be consistent-go to bed the same time every night and get up the same time every morning.

Keep your bedroom quiet, dark, clutter free and temperature between 60-67 degrees. Wind down before retiring-mediate, do yoga or stretching. Avoid daytime naps, Make your bed a sleep only zone-no TV, no reading and especially no electronics. Limit heavy meals before bedtime, avoid caffeine and alcohol. Exercise during the day-take walks, keep active. Of course, if you try these tips and still are having problems, always consult your physician .

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.

ROSARIAN COMMUNION BREAKFAST

Another spirit and joy-filled Communion Breakfast



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our next Knights of Columbus meeting is Monday, May 5th at 6pm in the parish offices. Nominations will be held. New members are always welcome so please just stop in. Did you know the Knights of Columbus is the largest Catholic men's organization in the world? Membership includes a monthly magazine highlighting the many things that Knights do all around the world. It includes great articles with inspirations for all men. Email sjc.koc@gmail.com for more information.



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