

A LIGHT WILL SHINE ON US THIS DAY: THE LORD IS BORN FOR US. PSALM 97

SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

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http://stmichael.cdeducation.org

BULLETIN DEADLINE

To submit a bulletin request, the request must be made no later than 12:00 noon, Monday. bulletin requests Send office@saintmichael-cd.org "BULLETIN REQUEST" in subject line with all details and contact person for questions. Please do not format your request with special fonts/colors; however, attaching a logo or graphic is acceptable. All requests must be approved by Father prior to publication.

DECEMBER 22, 2019 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, December 29

8:30 a.m.	John P. Crerand (John & Mary Crerand)
10:30 a.m.	For the People
12:30 p.m.	Ethel Mae Nugent (Sam Nugent)

Monday, December 30

6:30 a.m. 8:15 a.m. Jerome Hoheisel (Dan & Debra Hoheisel) Lois P Babich (The Damo Family)

Tuesday, December 31

6:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. Dick Reichert (Larry & Sharon Kendall) For the People

Wednesday, January 1

9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

Betty Petrarca (Richard Petrarca & Family) Tom Kalinoski

Thursday, January 2 6:30 a.m. 8:15 a.m.

Pat Schlom (St. Vincent de Paul) Connie Fergus (Don & Jody Munhall)

Friday, January 3

6:30 a.m. 8:15 a.m.

Mark Barren (Catherine Barren) Thomas Calderone (Palmer Calderone)

Saturday, January 4 8:15 a.m. 4:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m.

Lewis DiRosario (DiRosario Family) For the People

SUNDAY, January 5 Pasquale Pizzuti (Pizzuti Family) 10:30 a.m. Pat Schlom 12:30 p.m. Patricia Miller (Michael & Nora Kazor)

DECEMBER 29, 2019 - THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH



"Wives, be subordinate to your husbands... Husbands, love your wives... Children, obey your parents in everything... Fathers, do not provoke your children..." (Colossians 3:18-21)

Pope Francis said that families, through their life of prayer and love, become "schools of true human growth." Being credible witnesses of Christian love, especially that of family members, exerts the most positive influence on

our children. We are all children of God; let us pray and love each other as God, Our Father, does for us. Prayer: That through prayer and love, our family relationships put us on the path to holiness.

SAINT MICHAEL INFORMATION CENTER

NEW MEMBERS

Registering in a parish is a declaration of your desire to be part of a Catholic community and a commitment to the life of the parish family.

We are often asked to provide affidavits for parishioner standing. We can only do this if a person is a registered, active, and contributing member in our parish.

You can register by one of three easy ways:

Are you interested in registering at the parish? Please visit our website at <u>www.saintmichael-cd.</u> <u>org</u> and click the menu button "About Us," then "Welcome New Members." From there you can fill out the online pre-registration form to begin the process. You can also email us at <u>welcomehome@</u> <u>saintmichael-cd.org</u>, and request a New Family Registration Form be mailed to you.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL Martha Bogue

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ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION Matt Gregory

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Chris Fricke

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Pete Schlom

BISHOP WATTERSON SCHOOL BOARD REPRESENTATIVE Joe Hull

ST. FRANCIS DESALES SCHOOL

BOARD REPRESENTATIVES Joseph and Christine Zaremba, Mary Beth and Bill Hinger

DEAR PARISHIONERS,

The Masses for the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God (a Holy Day of Obligation) is as follows:

- Tuesday, December 31st Mass at 7:00 p.m.
 - Wednesday, January 1st Masses at 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

We will be removing he decorations for Christmas on Sunday afternoon, January 12th after the 12:30 p.m. Mass. We are asking for your help in putting things away until next year!

Happy New Year! In Christ, Fr. Dinovo

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

TIME: 10:30 a.m. MASS; DATES: SEPTEMBER 15th through MAY; WHO: CHILDREN AGES 4-7 (toilet-trained)

Saint Michael The Archangel Children's Liturgy of the Word is an integral part of the 10:30 a.m. Mass, as it:

- Encourages children to open up their hearts and minds to the wonder of God's Word in a manner especially prepared for them.
- Encourages children to participate in discussions of the readings and to learn how God's Word relates to their lives.
- Discusses the importance of communication with God through prayer.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Do you enjoy and have a talent working with young children? If so, this important ministry is in need of volunteers and is calling YOU! Volunteers 18+ must complete a BCI background check and "Protecting God's Children" training. (Contact Kollene Caspers at kcaspers@saintmichael-



<u>cd.org</u> for that information.) Youth volunteers need only to complete the "Code of Conduct" and "Harassment Policy" forms. Please contact Melissa Smullen at <u>childrensliturgy@saintmichael-cd.org</u> if you are interested in sharing God's Word with young children (ages 4-7).

SUNDAY OFFERING

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS – December 22, 2019	
193 envelopes	\$ 19,303.00
Online Giving	\$ 9,249.50
Loose Cash	\$ 1,055.60
Immaculate Conception	\$ 10.00
Christmas	\$ 345.00
Total Collection	\$ 29,963.10
Less 6% Diocesan Tax	\$ 1,797.79
Net Collections	\$ 28,165.31
CHRISTMAS COLLECTION – December 25,2019	
Envelopes 200	\$ 19,394.56
Loose	\$ 3,241.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,970.00
Total Collection	\$ 24,605.56
Less 6% Diocesan Tax	\$ 1,476.33
Net Collection	\$ 23,129.23

Thank you for your generous contributions to our Parish. Your commitment to St. Michael is greatly appreciated. May God Bless You!

AROUND THE PARISH

PARISH CALENDAR DECEMBER 2019/ JANUARY 2020

SUNDAY, December 29

10:30 a.m. Children's Liturgy (UMR)

Monday, December 30

6:00 p.m. Wallace/Larimer Wedding Rehearsal

Tuesday, December 31

4:30 p.m. Wallace/Larimer Wedding

Wednesday, January 1

Parish Office Closed

Thursday, January 2

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice (C)

Friday, January 3

No Activities

Saturday, January 4

7:00 a.m. Pietra (LMR)

SUNDAY, January 5

10:30 a.m. Children's Liturgy (UMR) 2:00 p.m. Baptism (C)

SAINT MICHAEL PARISH AND SCHOOL



A FAMILY CATECHETICAL SERIES WITH THREE EIMULTANEOUS SESSIONS FOR & STH CRACE, & STH CRACE, AND PARENTS ON COD'S PLAN FOR SALVATION CONCLUDING WITH A COMMUNAL FAMILY TIME OF ACOBATION AND PRAYER

> Childcare: St. Michael Room X-2: Undercroft 3-5: Lower Meeting Room Middle School: Gym High School and Adults: Church



THE WORD WAS GOD

YOUTH GROUP WILL RESUME ON JANUARY 5TH, 6:00-8:00 P.M. HAVE A BLESSED CHRISTMAS SEASON!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CLOTHING ROOM CLOSINGS

The St. Vincent de Paul Donating Clothing Room on the East side of St. Michael School and the Giving Clothing Room in the lower level of St. Michael Church will be closed for the Holidays through Sunday, January 5, 2020.

MEN'S FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP



St. Michael Men's Faith and Fellowship – There will be no group meetings starting Thursday, December 19 through the New Year. We will resume weekly programing starting Saturday, January 11, 2020. Our next series of programing will be a sixpart series of presentations and

discussions entitled "The Mass" by Bishop Robert Barron. "Encountering Heaven on Earth," we will walk through the Liturgy with Bishop Barron and be transformed through insights on this most privileged and intimate encounter with our Lord Jesus Christ. Don't miss this opportunity to learn more about our Catholic faith and our most sacred celebration, the Mass! We will learn how the Mass brings us out of the fallen world and into the heavenly realm, how it revolves around a call from God and a response from His people!!

Mark your calendars now for this series of presentations on Saturday mornings starting January 11 and Thursday evenings starting January 16. For more information, please contact Bill Shirk (billshirk@columbus.rr.com) or Mitch Garner (garner.mitch@gmail.com).

AROUND THE PARISH

WOMEN'S FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP

WHAT IS THE BIBLE, WHERE DOES IT COME FROM, AND WHAT IS ITS PURPOSE?

The St. Michael Parish Women's Faith and Fellowship group welcomes all women to attend our evening Scripture Video Bible Study, Genesis to Jesus.

7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m. – Upper Meeting Room

SESSION DATES: 2020: January 7th & 21st, February 4th & 18th, March 3rd & 17th, and April 7th



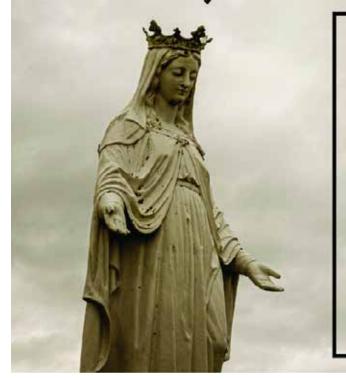
If you are interested in participating, please contact Jessica Schmitt at jessica.anne.schmitt@gmail.com.

EXPERIENCE PIETRA FITNESS

A Retreat for Body and Soul

A fitness class that stretches, strengthens and tones the body while refreshing the soul with prayer and meditation. In only one hour, you will feel calmer, stronger, refreshed and renewed! A Level 1 Class for Women at 7:00 a.m. every Saturday morning through May. \$10.00/class. Contact Maria Elliott, Certified Pietra Fitness Instructor, at maria@viribuswellness.com for more information or to sign up!

Mass Times Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God



Dec 3/st

7:00pm

Jan 1st 9:00am, 11:00am

SCHOOLS



ST. MICHAEL PRE-KINDERGARTEN, WORTHINGTON

St. Michael Pre-kindergarten, Worthington, is accepting registration for full- and part-time classes for the 2019-2020 SY. There are still a few spots available in some of our classes. Our Pre-kindergarten program uses a balance between hands on academic instruction and play-based centers for Kindergarten readiness. We also offer Catechesis of the Good Shepherd which is montessori-based Catholic education and we use Disciple of Christ, Education in Virtue https://educationinvirtue.com/. For more information or a tour, please go to https://www.stmichaelworthington.org/admissions/ preschool/ or contact Laura Wells at 614-885-3149 or lwells@cdeducation.org.

SAVE THE DATE FOR OPEN HOUSE

January 30th 5pm-7pm

Call or email today to schedule a tour of the school 614. 885. 3149 // contactsms@cdeducation.org

Did you know?

• Education in Virtue-Disciple in Christ® faith formation and curriculum

•Technology Integration utilizing the research-based T.I.M. approach for student centered-learning

• Financial Assistance is available

St Michael School is a Catholic community committed to academic and moral excellence because Christ is the center of our lives.



APPLY TODAY TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE CLASS OF 2024 AT ST. FRANCIS DESALES HIGH SCHOOL!

Please visit www.sfdstallions.org/admissions-process to submit your application; application deadline is January 13, 2020. Contact the school's Enrollment Office at 614-265-3380 with questions.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

2020 CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE



Give the gift of building virtue to the men in your family by planning now for the 2020 Men's Conference! Registration is available online at catholicmensministry.com. and save \$5.00 with early bird discount. Saturday, February 22 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Make time for fellowship

with other men seeking God with Adoration, great speakers on building virtue, Reconciliation and Holy Mass with Bishop Brennan. And, of course, there are breakfast and lunch!

GIVE YOURSELF THE GIFT OF TIME WITH JESUS AND YOUR SISTERS IN CHRIST!



Give yourself the gift of the Columbus Catholic Women's Conference on Saturday, February 15, 2020, from 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. at the Ohio Expo Center. Come to pray, learn and rest with your sisters in Christ from around

the diocese. Register now for early bird pricing at www. columbuscatholicwomen.com. Don't miss this day of amazing grace!

WHAT IS EUCHARISTIC ADORATION? Visit our website at www.saintmichael-cd.org, then choose "Spiritual Life" for information about Eucharistic Adoration. QUESTIONS ABOUT THE WEADOREHIM SOFTWARE? Email adoration@saintmichael-cd.org. If you are interested in joining our Leadership Team, or anything else regarding the Eucharistic Adoration Chapel, email adoration@saintmichael-cd.org or contact Greg at 614-885-8311 or gdaniel@columbus.rr.com.



CHAPEL DAYTIME HOURS - The Parish Office is open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. The Chapel is unlocked and the Blessed Sacrament is available for Adoration during those hours, except during regularly scheduled Mass Times. The Chapel is open to all.

PLEASE PRAY THAT WE MAY OBTAIN MORE REGULAR ADORERS, SO THAT WE MAY RETURN TO 24-HOUR ADORATION - If you'd like to be a part of the answer to that prayer, it is easy to get scheduled! Just go to www. stmichael.weadorehim.com and click Sign-Up. It's a very simple process and will allow you to gain access to the Chapel on evenings and weekends and even more importantly, will allow you to offer to volunteer for unfilled hours and sub for others. You can choose several "one-time" hours, choose to take an hour once a day, once a week, once a month or to fill in sub requests as they come up. Available hours to fit almost anyone's schedule.

CHAPEL EVENING AND WEEKEND HOURS – Unfortunately, due to the difficulty in finding volunteers, the evening hours are limited. The Chapel is open the following hours on evenings and weekends.		
Sunday	2:00 p.m. until 6:00 a.m., Monday,	
Monday	9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m.	
Tuesday	7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.	
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m.	
Thursday	9:00 a.m. until 6:00 a.m., Friday,	
Friday	9:00 a.m. continuing until	
	8:00 a.m., Saturday (closes for 8:15 a.m. Mass)	
Saturday	9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. (closes for 4:00 p.m. Mass)	
Saturday	5:00 p.m. until 8:00 a.m., Sunday	

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