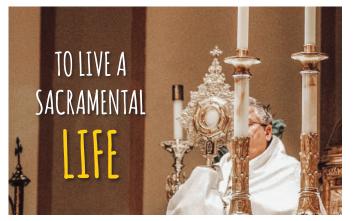




OUR MISSION

Saint Michael the Archangel is a Catholic Community on fire for the Lord that inspires people to "Rise Up Now!" and become active disciples to fulfill God's purpose in their lives.







HOLY MASS SCHEDULE SEE BULLETIN FOR HOLY DAYS

| SATURDAY | 4:00 pm Vigil Mass |
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| SUNDAY | 8:30 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm |
| DAILY | 6:30 am MON-FRI |
| | 8:15 am MON, TUES, FRI, SAT |

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

2:00 pm on first and third Sundays. Pre-Baptism class is at 2:00 pm on second Sunday. All by appointment. Sponsors need letter from their pastor.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

2:30–3:30 pm on Saturday. Anytime upon request. (call for appointment.)

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

No date should be set prior to seeing a priest or deacon six months before desired date.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please contact the Parish office at 614.885.7814.



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OFFICE STAFF

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Bethany Cook

MUSIC

Choir Director/Organist: Ron Barrett Vigil Mass: Mary Fristad

SAINT MICHAEL SCHOOL

Principal: Sr. John Paul, O.P. Website: http://stmichael.cdeducation.org

ST. MICHAEL PRESCHOOL

Director: Laura Wells

website:

https://www.stmichaelworthington. org/admissions/prekindergarten/

BULLETIN DEADLINE

To submit a bulletin request, the request must be made no later than 12:00 p.m., Monday. Send bulletin requests to <u>office@saintmichael-cd.</u> <u>org</u> with "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 18, 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

SUNDAY, December 18

| 8:30 a.m. | For the People | | |
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| 10:30 a.m. | Marian Denlinger (Deacon John Crerand) | | |
| 12:30 p.m. | Special Intention of Fr. Emmanuel Adu Addai | | |
| | (St. Michael School) | | |
| | | | |

Monday, December 19

6:30 a.m. Raphael Chanlatte (Madeleine Antoine Family)8:15 a.m. The Antoine Family (Madeleine Antoine Family)

Tuesday, December 20

- 6:30 a.m. Margaret & James Reid (Pat & Joe Kearns)
- 8:15 a.m. Catherine & Dorothy (Madeleine Antoine Family)

Wednesday, December 21

6:30 a.m. Betty Petrarca (Tony Petrarca)

Thursday, December 22

6:30 a.m. Special Intention of Raphael Francois (Madeleine Antoine Family)

Friday, December 23

6:30 a.m. Marcia Anderson (The St. Michael Adorers)

8:15 a.m. Special Intention of Nick & Megan Rosing (The DeCenzo Family)

Saturday, December 24

| 8:15 a.m. | Deceased Members of the Lujan & Castro Families (Noe Lujan) |
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| 4:00 p.m. | For the People |
| 6:00 p.m. | Special Intention of the Fiala Fristad Family |
| 12:00 a.m. | Special Intention of the Residents of Heinzerling |

SUNDAY, December 25

| 8:30 a.m. | Ed Ferkany (Jeanne Ferkany) |
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| 10:30 a.m. | Vera Jaketic (Dennis Jaketic) |
| 12:30 p.m. | For the People |

CONGRATULATIONS ON THE BAPTISM OF TATE SLEBODA



DECEMBER 18, 2022 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home." – MATTHEW 1:24

Putting our complete trust in the Lord without expecting anything in return. Striving to put God first in all things and follow Him wherever He may lead. Joseph

was a model of these pillars of our faith. As we prepare for the birth of our Lord, pray for the strength and courage to be a model of discipleship, just as Joseph was.

AROUND THE PARISH



12:00am Christmas Day 8:30am 10:30am 12:30pm

4:00pm

6:00pm

Year End Contribution Ideas

As 2022 draws to a close, we invite you to review opportunities to support St. Michael Parish & School. There are some wonderful ways you can help while also receiving tax credits and tax deductions. Please visit the parish website for more details, or scan the OR code below.



PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed for Christmas & New Year's on the following dates: December 23, December 26 and January 2.



LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS

If you are in need of a low-gluten host, please scan this QR code for full details.

NOW HIRING BUSINESS MANAGER AT ST. MICHAEL PARISH AND SCHOOL

Successful candidate must have at least 5 years QuickBooks experience and accounting degree. Scope of work: Church and School Budget prep, reporting and oversight of financial operations. Flexible schedule is available with on-site requirements. Salary commensurate with experience. Please submit your résumé to adinovo@saintmichael-cd.org.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CLOTHING ROOM

The St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Room will be closed Wednesday, December 21 through Wednesday, January 4 for the Christmas holiday. Thank you for your generosity throughout 2022 in helping those in need. We look forward to continuing to serve the needs of others in 2023.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

St. Michael Homebound Ministry is available to bring the Eucharist to the homebound. If you or a loved one within St. Michael Parish boundaries would like someone to bring the Eucharist to you, please reach out to Sr. Riya Mary to coordinate. She can be reached by calling the parish office, or by emailing srriya@saintmichael-cd.org.

| PARISH CALENDAR: DECEMBER | | | | | |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| SUNDAY, December 18 | 2:00 p.m. Baptism (C) | Thursday, December 22 | Eucharistic Exposition (Adoration Chapel) 5:30 p.m. Cub Scout Meeting (U) | | |
| Monday, December 19 | 6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts (U) | Friday, December 23 | Parish Office Closed Eucharistic Exposition (Adoration Chapel) 9:00 a.m. Christmas Decorating (MH) | | |
| Tuesday, December 20 | No Activities | Saturday, December 24 | No Activities | | |
| Wednesday, December 21 | 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice (C) | SUNDAY, December 25 | No Activities | | |

(U) = Undercroft, (S) = School, (C) = Church, (G) = Gym, (PO) = Parish Office, (SG, SR, SM) = Saints Gabriel, Raphael and Michael, (MH) = Marian Hall, (SL) = School Library, (SC) = School Conference Room, (R) = Rectory, (PSR) Parish School of Religion Office, (UMR) Meeting Room on the first floor of the Parish Ministry Center, (LMR) Meeting Room in the basement of the Parish Ministry Center, (YMR/SG) Youth Ministry Room

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SIGN UP FOR ADORATION THIS ADVENT SEASON

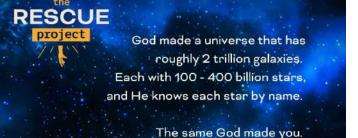
Adoration gives us a chance to prepare and be at peace, which is the focus of Advent itself. Prayerfully consider adding an hour of your week to time in the presence of Our Lord this Advent season. Our Adoration Chapel offers Eucharistic Exposition on both Thursdays and Fridays. Our current exposition hours are from 7:00 a.m. Thursday morning through 6:00 a.m. Friday morning, resuming at 9:00 a.m. Friday morning until 9:00 p.m. Friday evening. You can sign up at StMichael.WeAdoreHim.com.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD EXPANDING!

We are excited to expand our Children's Liturgy of the Word beginning in January 2023. Children ages 4-7 are invited to join us on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays of the month at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. The Children's Liturgy of the Word includes Sunday readings and reflections that are especially prepared for children. If you have any questions, or are interested in helping, please contact childrensliturgy@saintmichael-cd.org.

MEN'S FAITH & FELLOWSHIP

We will be meeting again on January 14th, but will continue to encourage prayer to the Virgin Mary at home every day. We remember St. Juan Diego this month, who was an adult man who had a close relationship with our Mother Mary. We can imitate him in his faith, his obedience, and his prayer life. You can sign up now for the Catholic Men's Conference to be held Saturday, February 25, 2023 at the Kasich Center in the Ohio Expo Center. This is always a great, inspiring time with your brothers in faith from all over our diocese. Give the conference sign up to a young or older man in your life for Christmas. Get \$5.00 off the regular sign-up fee of \$40.00 through December 31st! Bishop Fernandes will speak and celebrate Mass. Adoration and Confession will be available. There are many interesting exhibits and even includes breakfast and lunch. A great deal, and it renews you in our Catholic faith, so please make plans to attend. Register at Catholicmensministry.com. If you have any questions, please contact mensgroup@saintmichael-cd.org.



You matter to God.

COMING JANUARY 2023 TO ST. MICHAEL

RescueProject.us

Join the Women's Faith & Fellowship in 2023 as we continue to deepen our relationship with the Holy Spirit!

Join us as we journey together through The Wild Goose with Fr. Dave Pivonka. This video study requires no additional reading or homework throughout the week, simply join us whenever you are able.

> Daytime Study: Wednesday's from 1:00-2:30pm January 11, 18, 25 February 1, 8, 15

> Evening Study: Tuesday's from 7:30-9:00pm January 10, 17, 24, 31 February 7, 21 Questions? Email us at womensgroup@saintmichael-cd.org

THE WILD GOOLE



Sign Up to receive updates from our Women's Group through Flocknote! These are some of our activities throughout the year: Bible Study Pietra Fitness Candlelight Evenings Service Projects Pray the Rosary





Children's Books for Mass

Sometimes it can be hard for little ones to sit quietly through Mass. Having a fun book to read can be a huge help! St. Michael Church would like to make new or gently used religious children's books available for families to use during Mass for their young children. If you have books your family has outgrown or no longer needs, please consider donating them so that more children can enjoy them. Donations can be placed in the marked basket in the back of the church, or brought to the Parish Office.



SCHOOL NEWS



ST. MICHAEL BAPTISMS DECEMBER 8, 2022



Congratulations to the St. Michael students and their siblings who were baptized on the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception!

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Clara Mitchell (1BZ)



Troy Mitchell (PreK)



Roman Raspaldo (KW)



Elsie Sturm (KH)

contactsms@cdeducation.org

(614) 885-3149

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ST. MICHAEL PREKINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

St. Michael Pre-K is accepting registration for full- and part-time classes for the 2022-2023 school year and we have a few spots left. We also offer before and aftercare from 7:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. Our Prekindergarten program uses the curriculum D.I.G. (Develop. Inspire. Grow.), which is a balance between hands-on instruction and centers for Kindergarten readiness and uses the Letter People Puppets. We also offer Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, which is Montessori-based, hands-on Catholic education and we use Education in Virtue. For more information, please visit stmichaelworthington. org/admissions/preschool/ or contact Laura Wells at 614-885-3149, option 8 or lwells@cdeducation.org.

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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

FINANCE COUNCIL Finance Chair – Jennifer Battle

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL Greg & Margie Eckert

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ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION Liz Trolli

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Seth Walker

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Pete Schlom

BISHOP WATTERSON SCHOOL BOARD REPRESENTATIVE Joe Hull

ST. FRANCIS DESALES SCHOOL BOARD REPRESENTATIVES Martha and Michael Bogue, Angela and Nick Flynn



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considering a charitable gift. This is a meaningful way for you to grow in faith stewardship while also serving as a valuable resource to your Catholic clients. If you want more information on becoming a member of The Catholic Foundation's Professional Advisors Group, please contact Scott Hartman, VP of Development, at 614-443-8893 or scan the QR Code.

NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR THE 2023 CATHOLIC MAN OF THE YEAR

The Catholic Men's Luncheon Club is accepting nominations for the Diocese of Columbus 2023 Catholic Man of the Year. The annual award will be presented by Bishop Earl Fernandes on **Friday, February 3, 2023**, at the Men's Luncheon held at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus. The Catholic Man of the Year is awarded to one layman who, through his daily actions, words, and prayers, exemplifies the "good and faithful servant." The recipient will have the opportunity to share his personal testimony during the ceremony. Nominations will be accepted through **December 31, 2022**. For details, nomination instructions and the required online nomination form, go to https://www.catholicmensministry.com/catholic-man-of-the-year. Submit your nomination and let us know why your parishioner, husband, father, son, uncle, brother, or friend is the Catholic Man of the Year!



