

**AUGUST 18, 2019**

**ST. MICHAEL  
CHURCH**

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My dear People,

This is the first installment of three letters on **repentance, gratitude, and joy**. One of the basic concepts and messages of the entire bible is **repentance**. You can't read any one of the Gospels or books of the New Testament (or Old Testament for that matter), without coming across this word, maybe I should say being *confronted* by it. Repentance means to turn away from something, to have a change of mind or heart, and in the context of the Scriptures, to recognize personal sin, and to regret it for God's sake.

Why is repentance so central to both Old and New Testament? **The answer lies in the most important promise that God made to the people of the Bible and to us personally- His promise of salvation.** Repentance is one of the foundational ways we accept God's offer of help. This itself is rooted in an even more essential theme of the Bible and of our Faith- **obedience and disobedience.** As humans, we have come from God, are made in His image, and are meant to return to Him. Disobedience throws a wrench in this movement, in other words, it rejects the pattern that God's wisdom has set up for our happiness and authentic thriving. The ancient formula repeats itself in every human sin- do what you want instead of what God has said, and you can become your own little god.

Of course, this is a lie, we don't become our own gods, but it's a lie that mankind, and all of us individually, easily fall into. And here is where repentance comes in and why it's so important. God gives us a second chance, (or a thousandth chance), we can try again and choose what is genuinely in our best interests, namely, what God asked us to do all along. **Repentance is turning away from our bad choices and re-choosing God and His plan for us, be it in small ways or big ones.** It is asking God to replace our disobedient hearts with a new heart- *a repentant heart.*

Repentance is yielding to God, and it is the sweet work of the Holy Spirit within us. It is God's grace which moves us, gently drawing us to understand and embrace once again our true identity as sons and daughters of a Father Who loves us. **A repentant life is not one of fear and guilt, it is one of true freedom.** Every Catholic has a right, because of the Blood of our Savior, to seek this freedom, but it's a freedom that each of us has to *reclaim for ourselves every new day.* Let the Holy Spirit give you a repentant heart, so that, when you rest your head upon your pillow at the end of the day, you can know the peace that only God Himself can give.

*Fr Walter*

**OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday –Thursday 8:30 am to 12:00 pm 1 pm to 4:30 pm  
CLOSED FRIDAY**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**A new Religious program is being established. Please consult the bulletin and listen to announcements in the upcoming weeks.**

**CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST  
DAILY MASS**

**Monday 10:00 am at Senior Living Centers**

Consult bulletin for locations

**Tuesday-Thursday 8:00 am (in the chapel)**

**Friday, Liturgy of the Word, with Communion**

Consult bulletin for changes

**WEEKEND MASSES**

**Sunday: 8:15 & 10:30 am**


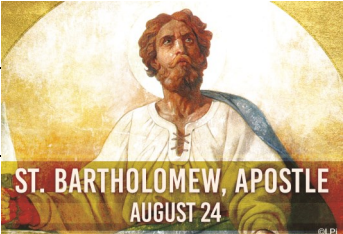
**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

**Every Wednesday, 7:00-8:00 pm**

**Sunday, 9:30-10:15 am or by appointment**

**HOLY HOUR**

**Wednesday, 6:00-7:00 pm**

DAY	MASS INTENTION	EVENTS
<b>Sunday, August 18</b> Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 38:4-6, 8-10 Heb 12:1-4 Lk 12:49-53	8:15 am ~ Ann Elvin—Denise Jackson 10:30 am ~ Shirley Galens—Krolak family	Confessions ~ 9:30– 10:15 am Deacon Bob Lee preaching
<b>Monday, August 19</b> Weekday Jgs 2:11-19 Mt 19:16-22	<b>10:00 am Mass at The Terrace</b> ~ Poor Souls	
<b>Tuesday, August 20</b> St. Bernard, abbot and doctor of the church Jgs 6:11-24a Mt 19:23-30	8:00 am ~ In honor of the Sacred Heart and Thanksgiving	
<b>Wednesday, August 21</b> St. Pius X, pope Jgs 9:6-15 Mt 20:1-16	8:00 am ~ Elizabeth Sammons—Costello family	1:30-6:30 pm ~ Blood Drive in church hall 6-7 pm ~ Holy Hour 7-8 pm ~ Confessions
<b>Thursday, August 22</b> The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Jgs 11:29-39a Mt 22:1-14	8:00 am ~ In honor of Tim and Chrisanne Bearslee's Wedding Anniversary—Mom	9 am –12 pm ~ Clean church 
<b>Friday, August 23</b> Weekday Ru 1: 1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 Mt 22:34-40	8:00 am <b>Liturgy of the Word, with Communion</b> ~ In the chapel	
<b>Saturday, August 24</b> St. Bartholomew, apostle Rv 21:9b-14 Jn 1:45-51	<b>NO MASS</b>	<b>ST. BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE</b> AUGUST 24
<b>Sunday, August 25</b> Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 66:18-21 Heb 12:5-7, 11-13 Lk 13:22-30	8:15 am ~ Melvin Gallant—Ann Straigh, Judy & Randy Bouwens 10:30 am ~ Margaret Bailey—family	Confessions ~ 9:30– 10:15 am Second collection for Catholic Charities of Wayne County

 **WEEKEND SUNDAY, AUGUST 25**  
MINISTRY SCHEDULE

MASS	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	COMMENTATORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
SUNDAY AUGUST 25, 8:15 AM	R. Romano J. Kowaleski	L. Lauster	D. Doyle	<b>J. Sherman, G. Addyman, C. Hann</b> bold = bread minister
SUNDAY AUGUST 25, 10:30 AM	J. & J. Camblin	E. Comella	T. DeRenzo	<b>K. Vitaro, S. Hartman, C. Taylor</b> bold=bread minister

<b>MONEY COUNTERS:</b>	<b>NANCY MURPHY'S COFFEE HOUR</b>
<b>TEAM 2</b>	<b>Happy Summer!</b>

**ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING**  
Weekly Offertory  
**August 11th - \$4601.67**

Many thanks for your support of St. Michael's	Actual YTD 6/30/19	Budget YTD	YTD Overage shortage
Total Collections	\$361,945.00	\$378,950.00	<b>\$17,005.00</b>
Total Operating Income	\$440,940.00	\$471,630.00	<b>\$30,690.00</b>
Total Operating Expenses	\$419,322.00	\$494,317.00	\$74,995.00
Deficit/Surplus	\$21,618.00	<b>\$22,687.00</b>	XXXXXXXXXX

**ELECTRONIC GIVING PROGRAM** St. Michael's is pleased to offer this safe and convenient option for you to contribute your Sunday offerings to the Church automatically through your checking, savings account or credit card. Please contact the business office at 331-6753 if you need assistance.

Next weekend, August 25th there will be a second collection for Catholic Charities of Wayne County. Deacon Peter Dohr will be here September 1st (not this weekend) to share the details of the agency's work. Please feel free to check out their website for more information on what Catholic Charities does and where: [www.cwayne.org](http://www.cwayne.org) and [www.ourtp.org](http://www.ourtp.org). Thank you for your generosity and support. It is much appreciated.



## VIDEO MESSAGE FROM THE BISHOP:

The Diocese of Rochester has produced a new video, which includes a special message from the Bishop concerning the New York State Child Victims Act, and outlining diocesan efforts to create a Safe Environment. The link to the video, <https://www.dor.org/letter-to-the-faithful-2019/> can also be found on our Facebook Page

### Our Tradition of Mass Intentions

One of the traditions of our Church is offering Mass intentions for our deceased family and friends. You can find these listed in the bulletin and they are spoken out loud during the Prayers of the Faithful. *We have Masses available in the coming weeks.* Please note that for daily Masses, these can sometimes be scheduled within a couple of weeks while the Sunday Masses are often scheduled months in advance. You might ask why we have Mass intentions. It is not simply a token of respect. The idea of offering the intention is that their time in Purgatory be swift and easy. When we celebrate Mass, the sacrifice of Jesus giving his life on the Cross is made present for us. In offering the Mass intention, we are offering sacrifice for our loved one. You will also find intentions that are “for the people of the parish”. This is an intention that each pastor is required to offer by Canon Law for the parishioners he leads. *All you have to do to schedule a Mass intention is call the parish office.* A \$10 stipend is requested.



### Helping Hands Needed to Keep Our Church Beautiful and Clean!



Thank you to those who gave of their time and worked hard on July 12<sup>th</sup> to keep our church beautiful and clean. We are going to clean the church again on **Thursday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00am to noon.** If you would like to join our cleaning ministry or work for just one day, please come and join us on August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Remember – Many hands make light work. (We mainly wash windows in entry doors, dust, clean under the pews, and a few other chores. No climbing of ladders or heavy lifting would be required.) Be sure to give your contact information to one of the people listed below.

Contacts: *Pauline DeCann (315) 945-2157, Chris Hasseler (315) 879-8429, Diana Dubler (315) 573-5816*  
Thank you and God bless!!

Please patronize our SPONSOR OF THE WEEK:  
*Catholic Charities of Wayne County*  
*Thank you for sponsoring*  
*an ad in our bulletin.*



### Al Lado del Agua—una Reflexión

Hace dos semanas tenía la alegría de poder tomar unas vacaciones con Dios. Bueno, normalmente Dios es mi compañero en mi ministerio cuando voy de un lugar al otro, o acompaño a los de un grupo de reflexión bíblica o cuando estoy con novios preparándose para su matrimonio o padres de familia preparándose para el bautismo de su bebé, o cuando estoy visitando a los migrantes o familias o enfermos, etc. Sí, Dios está conmigo pero a veces no estoy muy consciente de su presencia. Y supongo que eso pase a ustedes también. Dios vive en cada uno de nosotros, pero olvidamos que está y pensamos que todo lo que hacemos depende de nosotros.

Bueno invité a Dios a una semana de vacaciones—un retiro espiritual—un tiempo cuando pudimos compartir más y darnos cuenta de cuánto amamos uno al otro. Naturalmente yo sé que Dios me ama sin condiciones, pero fui yo que tenía que descubrir de nuevo la enormidad de ese Amor. Poco a poco durante la semana mi cercanía a Dios iba desarrollándose.

Yo estaba al lado del agua y cuando yo estaba mirando al agua, también yo estaba escuchando al agua. La ola tocó la arena y después regresó al agua, una vez y otra vez. Fue como Dios estaba trayéndome regalos—como de amor, paciencia, esperanza, sabiduría, fortaleza, fe... Pero cuando la ola se retiraba, fue como Dios estaba sacando de mí lo malo, lo egoísta, lo orgulloso, lo que no era de Dios... Fue como una manera de limpiar y purificar. Es lo que Dios quiere hacer con cada uno de nosotros. Cada día podemos hacer una mini-versión de esto. Con fe podemos ponernos en las manos de Dios y esperar su acción con nuestras vidas. Podemos ser como barro en las manos del Alfarero. Que Dios siga acompañándonos durante estos días de verano.

*Hermana Kay*

### Actividades de la Comunidad Hispana

**Viernes, 30 de agosto, 7:00 pm: Misa y convivencia.** Favor de llevar algunos entremeses.



**THE RED CROSS NEEDS DONORS**  
**WEDNESDAY AUGUST 21, 2019**



**IN THE CHURCH HALL.**

**1:30 PM-6:30 PM**

**Save a Life! Make a Difference!**

**Be a Blood Donor**



**Cluster Mass Schedule**

**St. Joseph the Worker** ( St. Michael Lyons, St. Patrick Savannah & St. John the Evangelist, Clyde ) & **Blessed Trinity** (St. Thomas Red Creek, Winter, St. Jude Fair Haven, Summer & St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott)

**Weekend Schedule**

4:00 pm ~ Saturday St. Michael Lyons  
4:00 pm ~ Saturday St. Patrick Savannah  
8:00 am ~ Sunday St. Thomas Red Creek (winter)  
8:00 am ~ Sunday St. Jude Fair Haven (summer)  
10:15 am ~ Sunday St. John the Evangelist Clyde  
12:00 pm ~ Sunday St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

**Daily Mass Schedule**

8:30 am ~ Monday St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott  
7:30 am ~ Tuesday St. John the Evangelist Clyde  
Wednesday no Mass except at St. Michael in Newark  
7:30 am ~ Thursday St. John the Evangelist Clyde  
7:30 am ~ Friday St. Michael Lyons  
8:30 am ~ Friday St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

**Confessions**

2:45-3:45 pm ~ Saturday St. Michael Lyons  
After Mass ~ Sunday St. Thomas Red Creek  
After Mass ~ Sunday St. Jude Fair Haven  
After Mass & 1st Tuesday of the month 6:30-7:15 pm St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

None at St. John the Evangelist Clyde

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

**Confirmation, Year 1** - There will be a parent and Confirmation candidate meeting on **September 15 following the 10:30 mass**, for those who want their child to begin Confirmation preparation. The meeting will take place in the upper church. Youth must be in at least the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, and be an active parishioner of St. Michael Church. If you have any questions, please contact June Sherman at the parish center.



**FALL RUMMAGE SALE**

Are you having a Garage Sale this summer? Please consider donating your unsold items to **St. Michael's Fall Rummage Sale**. Box them up and set them aside. **Marking begins on Monday, October 7th**. If you are available on Sunday, October 6th after 10:30 am mass, we need help setting up...we will begin marking Monday at 9:00 am!

**Rummage sale begins, Tuesday, October 15th .**  
**THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED**  
**SUPPORT OF THIS BIG EVENT!**

**TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**



Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing! Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division." - Lk 12:49, 51



Nationwide Mass times & locations  
for traveling Catholics:  
masstimes.org

**27th Annual St. Michael's Church  
Golf Tournament**

Sunday, September 15th, 2019

**Winged Pheasant Golf Links**, 18 holes of golf with cart  
Four person scramble,

10:30 registration—11:30 Shotgun Start  
Hot dog and beer or soda on the turn

5 pm Cash Bar Cocktail hour at the Newark Elks Club  
(with complimentary 1st drink of beer or wine or soda)

6 pm Deluxe Italian Buffet Dinner at the Elks Club  
Make your own Foursome

Entry fee: \$75 per player, Seniors \$50 (age 62+),  
Juniors \$30 (17 and under)

**Proceeds benefit St. Michael's Youth Ministry**

Pick up your entry form in the gathering space or at the parish center.

**To reserve your place in the field, payment must accompany entry form. Send entry form and check to:**

**St. Michael Church**

**Attn: Bob Hanrahan Jr. PG**

**401 South Main St.**

**Newark, NY 14513**



**Entry deadline: Sunday, September 8th, 2019**



New schedules will be coming out for the months of September and October. Please check your calendar now to see what dates you are unavailable to serve in those two months. Call the parish center with your unavailable dates, 315-331-6753, ASAP. Thank you for all you do to serve St. Michael Church.

**Summer**

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**To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven**

**"... a time to be born..."**  
**"...a time to love..."**

*Marriage Banns* BANNS II ~ *Claudia Henry and George Dobbin.* *Marriage Banns*

**"... a time to be healed..."**

Please pray for the sick of our Parish.

*Steven Sapp, Leigh Ann Henry, Nate Barnes, Claire Childs, Kim Zielinski, Michael Kowaleski,  
Mary Santoro, Cathy Wilhelm, David Murphy, Darlene Fletcher, Marie Wemesfelder, ET Trunick, Donald Pieters, Marcia Palermo,  
Jean Condit, Jerry Sielawa, Georgette Eagley, Mary Gilligan, Fran DeVelder, Mary Talbo, Ann Straight, Ivana Ernst,  
Chris McLellan, Gloria Viola, Betty Howlett & Pearl Johnson*

And please pray for our Parish friends. *Scott Weber, Richard Schweitz, Jr., Michael DePauw, Bonnie Crane, Tracy Diaz-Cruz,  
Sherry Caughell, Marilyn Lawrence & Michael Bauer, Jr*

**"... a time to die..."**

**"... and a time for peace."**

In our world and for all people, military and civilian, who are in the midst of war. ***Ecclesiastes 3:11***

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**FOOD CLOSET ITEMS NEEDED THIS WEEK:**

The Newark Food Closet has a goal to educate and support clients and our community in making balanced, healthy choices. We are asking for your help when donating non-perishable goods. The list below will guide you on what we are looking for. We are excepting our regular food items as well.

Corn, peas, beets, no salt carrots, no salt peas, yams, sweet potatoes, Drk. red & Lt. red kidney beans, vegetarian beans & pork n beans

Light In Syrup, Unsweetened Fruits: *peaches & mandarin oranges*

Soup of any kind      Strawberry & orange jello      Strawberry & grape jelly

Whole Wheat or Grain Pastas: *spaghetti etc., macaroni and cheese*

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