

**JANUARY 31, 2021**

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**OFFICE HOURS (window service)**

**Monday –Thursday 8:30 am to 12:00 pm**

**1 pm to 4:30 pm      CLOSED FRIDAY**

**CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST**

**DAILY MASS (upper church)**

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

*Suspended until further notice*

**Tuesday-Thursday 8:00 am,**

**Wednesday 6 pm**

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

*Suspended until further notice*

**WEEKEND MASSES**

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

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

**Sunday 9:45 -10:15 am**

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

or by appointment

**HOLY HOUR**

**Wednesday, 6:45-7:45 pm**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**Please check the bulletin for updates**

**4<sup>th</sup>**

**SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." - Mk 1:27

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We are limited to the number of people at each Mass, with social distancing. You are not obligated to go to Sunday Mass at this time. The Bishop encourages people to go to daily Mass to help with the overflow of Sunday Masses. Please do not sit where there is tape across a pew. Also, please remember to practice these few guidelines, below, when coming to Mass. These are for the safety of you and others.



- ⇒ If you don't feel well, please stay home.
- ⇒ Please wear a mask in church at all times. This protects all, especially our elderly.
- ⇒ Wash your hands with sanitizer when you enter & when leaving the church.
- ⇒ Please remain 6 feet apart from each other. Please sit in open pews.

**The church will be cleaned after each Mass for everyone's protection.**

# MASS SCHEDULE



**Please don't forget to wear your masks!**

DAY	MASS INTENTION	EVENTS
Sunday, January 31 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:15 am ~ For the People of the Parish 10:30 am ~ Ronald Atkinson—Camblin family	Lector 8:15 am ~ D. LaGasse 10:30 am ~ C. Owen
Monday, February 1 Weekday	<i>Masses suspended at Nursing Homes</i>	
Tuesday, February 2 The Presentation of the Lord	8:00 am ~ Margaret Tedesche—Joan & Ed Gullo	6:30 pm ~ Parish Council in church hall 
Wednesday, February 3 Weekday	8:00 am ~ Martha Hegeman—Theresa Wlodarczyk 6:00 pm ~ Bill McGrath—Frank & Georgia Zappia	6:45-7:45 pm ~ Holy Hour
Thursday, February 4 Weekday	8:00 am ~ Fran Lawson—Chris Hasseler	
Friday, February 5 St. Agatha, virgin and martyr	<i>No Communion Service</i>	
Saturday, February 6 St. Paul Miki and companion, martyrs	<i>No Mass</i>	
Sunday, February 7 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:15 am ~ Netta Colacino—Kathy & Bob Zappia 10:30 am ~ Alex Kehoe—family	Lector 8:15 am ~ S. O'Toole 10:30 am ~ B. Sherman



Many thanks for your support of St. Michael's	Actual YTD As of 11/30/20	Budget YTD	YTD Overage shortage
Total Collections	\$125,034.00	\$140,165.00	(\$15,131.00)
Total Operating Income	\$156,386.00	\$153,843.00	\$2,543.00
Total Operating Expenses	\$152,200.00	\$161,321.00	\$9,121.00
Deficit/Surplus	\$4,186.00	(\$7,478.00)	

**ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING**  
**Weekly Offertory**  
**January 17 \$ 3577.26**  
Thank you for your support & generosity.

**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**  
**Goal: \$44,851.00 Actual: \$25,960.00 Donors: 157**  
We are a little more than half way to our goal. We thank those who have given generously and ask all who have not yet given to prayerfully consider doing so. The CMA helps our Church and our parish in so many ways. Please consider all the ways that God has blessed you and your family and think how the Church has brought goodness into your lives. Join our appeal and give back what you can so that we remain strong and able to do God's great work!  
*Christ, Our Light*

**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 check our website, click on to Financial Giving.



We want to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their Christmas cards and gifts. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. We also hope that everyone had a wonderful and safe Christmas this year. Thank you all and God bless. ~ Fr. Felicjan and Fr. Mike



Please bring your old palms to church no later than February 14th. We will burn them and use the ashes for Ash Wednesday, February 17th. Thank you.



#### FAMILY PROMISE

We are once again hosting Family Promise the week starting Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup>. If you are willing to make a meal, part of a meal or dessert for a family, please contact Michelle Malach at mrmalach68@gmail.com or call/text 585-507-0970, or Carol Archunde at NYY742@yahoo.com or call/text 607-661-8783. Financial donations are welcome too. Thank you for your support!

#### CARE NET of WAYNE COUNTY

**Baby Bottle Boomerang** is going on for the month of January and through February 21st. Bottles are in the gathering space. Fill a baby bottle with loose change, green bills or write a check, made out to St. Michael Church with Care Net in the memo. If you have any questions, please call June at the parish center, 315-331-6753. All bottles must be returned the



weekend of February 21st.

Thank you for your generous support.

#### QUARANTINE

(Rev. Dale A. Schoening)

- Q = Quiet your soul.
- U = Unite as one with God
- A = Act with Godly love.
- R. = Read your Bible.
- A = Activate your faith.
- N = Nourish your soul.
- T = Talk to God
- I = Intercede for others.
- N = Nestle in the presence of God.
- E. = Elevate God in worship.



Submitted by Monika Brunner

#### ¿Es Malo Que los Esposos Busquen Agradarse?

San Pablo en la segunda lectura de hoy quiere que todos vivieran sin preocupaciones. El desea que los solteros y solteras se preocupan de las cosas de Dios. El, siendo un hombre soltero, piensa que su estilo de vida es mejor porque puede dar su tiempo a las cosas de Dios. El piensa que los casados—hombres y mujeres—están divididos en el corazón. Se preocupan de las cosas de esta vida y de cómo agradar a su esposa/esposo.

¿Qué piensan ustedes: es malo que los esposos busquen agradarse? Sería malo de no buscar agradarse. Eso no debe ocurrir solamente durante el noviazgo. Es como pensar en pescar—el éxito es en pescar un pez y no importa lo que pasa después—uno va a comerlo, pero no necesita dar nada al pez. Ya pertenece al pescador. O es como tener un carro y piensa que no necesita poner más aceite en la transmisión. Se necesita aceite para hacer andar el carro.

¿Por qué piensan que después de casarse la pareja puede terminar de mostrar su cariño una con el otro? Hay que seguir nutriendo la relación; tienen que hacer para la otra o el otro lo que le agrada. Hay que seguir dando sus atenciones para con ella, y ella debe intentar arreglarse para él y viceversa. Para decir “te quiero”, y mostrar ternura son esenciales en su relación. Nunca están demasiado viejos para expresar su amor.

A veces los esposos ponen toda su atención en los hijos y se olvidan de su pareja. No dejen eso pasar; hay que ocuparse mutuamente de ustedes mismos. Por su ejemplo de agradarse van a educar a los hijos más que hablarles de la importancia de relaciones matrimoniales o relaciones de amistad. Los esposos también deben agradar a Dios, pero háganlo sin olvidar el agrado que deben a su pareja. Los solteros agradan a Dios y lo sirven de otra manera.

Es importante ver cómo pueden mostrar su amor todos los días, no solamente el día de los enamorados o el día de su cumpleaños. A la vez es importante orar a Dios todos los días. Hay que mantener las dos relaciones vivas y positivas.

Hermana Kay



“Eres una luz. Tú eres la luz. Nunca permita que nadie, ninguna persona o cualquier fuerza, humedezca, atenúe o disminuya tu luz. Estudia el camino de los demás para hacer tu camino más fácil y abundante. Inclínate hacia los susurros de tu propio corazón, descubre la verdad universal y sigue sus dictados. ... Libérate de la necesidad de odiar, de albergar división y de la tentación de la venganza. Libera toda amargura. Ten solo amor, solo paz en tu corazón, sabiendo que la batalla del bien para vencer el mal ya está ganada”.

--Representante John Lewis

#### WEEKEND OF FEBRUARY 7th IS SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY

June will be collecting monetary donations & cans of soup for our local Food Closet  
Thank you.



# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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**2020/2021 YEAR**  
**The beginning of our Religious Education program will be delayed until further notice.**  
**We will have our Sacramental Preparation Program for any child who is of age to make their First Communion.**

## Family Ministry

### Gospel Reading Mark 1:21-28

Jesus heals a man with an unclean spirit and his fame spreads throughout Galilee

The people who heard Jesus teach and saw him heal in today's Gospel were said to have been astonished and amazed by the authority of his teaching. So compelling were Jesus' words and actions that the news about him could not be contained; it spread quickly throughout all of Galilee. Two thousand years later, the news about Jesus continues to spread. We are called to participate in sharing the Good News of Jesus with others in our words and in our deeds.

Gather as a family and try to name some amazing things, events, or people. In today's Gospel we hear that the people were astonished and amazed by their experience of Jesus. Read today's Gospel, Mark 1:21-28. What did the people who saw and heard Jesus find so amazing? (In Jesus, the people heard and saw the power and authority of God at work.) People should see in our lives the power and authority of God at work. Can you name any modern examples of people in whom you have seen the power and authority of God at work? Conclude in prayer together that we will experience wonder at the work of God in our world today. Pray together the Prayer to the Holy Spirit.



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### 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  
4:30 pm ~ Saturday St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott  
8:30 am ~ Sunday St. Thomas Red Creek (winter) *time change*  
8:30 am ~ Sunday St. Jude Fair Haven (summer)  
10:30 am ~ Sunday St. John the Evangelist Clyde  
4:00 pm ~ Sunday St. Patrick's, Savannah

### Daily Mass Schedule

8:30 am ~ Monday St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott *time change*  
8:30 am ~ Tuesday St. John the Evangelist Clyde *time change*  
6:00 pm ~ Wednesday St. John the Evangelist, Clyde  
8:30 am ~ Thursday St. John the Evangelist Clyde *time change*  
8:30 am ~ Friday St. Michael Lyons *time change*  
8:30 am ~ Friday St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

### Confessions

3:30-4:15 pm ~ Saturday St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott  
3:15-3:45 pm ~ Saturday St. Michael, Lyons  
7:00-7:50 am ~ Sunday St. Jude, Fair Haven  
5:20-5:50 pm ~ Wednesday, St. John the Evangelist, Clyde

### St. Joseph the Worker

Phone: 315-902-4130

Webpage: [www.saintjoetheworker.org](http://www.saintjoetheworker.org)

Facebook page: St. Joseph the Worker Parish, Wayne County, New York

### The Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity

Phone: 315-902-4130

Webpage: [www.ccblessdtrinity.org](http://www.ccblessdtrinity.org)

Facebook page: Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity



Beginning February 7th The Divine Mercy Chaplet will again be prayed on the first Sunday of every month at 3 pm in St. John the Evangelist Church, 114 Soodus St., Clyde, NY. Exposition and Adoration will be before The Chaplet at 2 pm followed by Benediction at 2:45 pm. Let us come together to pray to Our Lord that He would bless us with His gracious Mercy and help us to bring mercy and peace to the world.

### PUBLIC POLICY ADVOCACY WEEKEND February 13/14, 2021

Advocacy Issue: Funding for Nourish New York initiative

NOURISH NEW YORK is a New York State initiative that provides funding to Food Banks to purchase New York State-produced farm products. This accomplishes two goals: it offers market support to farmers, the fishing community, and food processors who have been impacted by the economic effects of the pandemic, while getting high-quality food to individuals and families across the state through the regional Food Banks to local parish and community food pantries. The initiative provided \$35 million in funding from May 1 to December 31, 2020. 4,152 farms have provided over 17 million pounds of high quality New York-produced food to New Yorkers in-need.

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

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

***"...a time to love..."***

***"... 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, Gretchen Switzer Bouwens, Mary Santoro, Cathy Wilhelm, David Murphy, Darlene Fletcher, Marie Wemesfelder, ET Trunick, Donald Pieters, Marcia Palermo, Jerry Sielawa, Georgette Eagley, Mary Gilligan, Fran DeVelder, Mary Talbo, Ann Straight, Ivana Ernst,*

*Gloria Viola, Michael George, Ada Lasken, Phillip Juliano, Sr. & Pearl Johnson*

And please pray for our Parish friends. *Scott Weber, Richard Schweitz, Jr., Bonnie Crane, Tracy Diaz-Cruz, Barb Gallant, Ann Maliborski, Sherry Caughell, Tom DeYoung & Michael Bauer, Jr*

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

*Barbara Waters and Mark Teshkoyan, sister-in-law and nephew of Mary Gilardo*

***"... 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 ARE STILL NEEDED.**

The Newark Food Closet is still accepting donations of non-perishable food items. A few suggestions are found below.

Canned vegetables and fruit, Peanut butter and jams

Pasta and sauce, cereal, etc.

*Please leave in the gathering space. Thank you for your generosity.*

The Newark Food Closet at 301 E. Miller St., Newark, is open Monday-Friday from 10 till noon.

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You can still get a  
St. Michael Beanie Hat.  
at the parish center. **Only \$15 a hat.**  
You will be nice and warm in your hat,  
but still looking COOL !