

# NOVEMBER 14, 2021

## ST. MICHAEL CHURCH

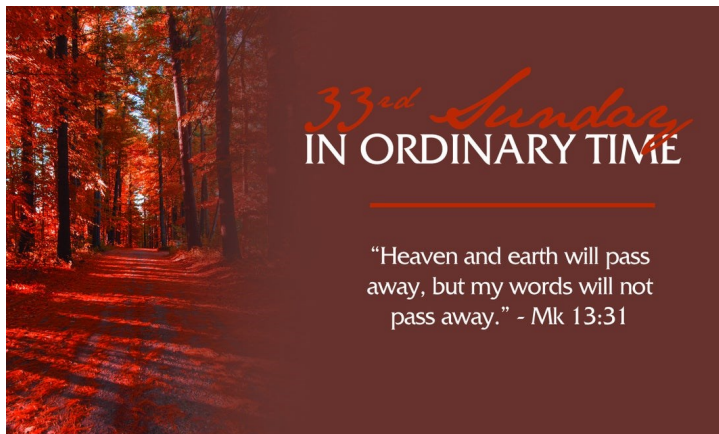
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33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday  
IN ORDINARY TIME

“Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.” - Mk 13:31

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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 (chapel)**

**Monday 10:00 am at The Newark Terrace**

*Third Monday of the month*

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

**Wednesday 6 pm Mass**

**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**

**Wednesday 6:45-7:15 pm**

or by appointment

#### **HOLY HOUR**

**Wednesday 6:30– 7:30 pm**

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**Please check the bulletin for updates.**

**WHILE OUR CHURCH IS BEING RENOVATED OUR  
MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED AT ST. MICHAEL  
( 3 Holley St.) IN LYONS.**

**(St. Joseph the Worker Parish**

**MASSES ARE STILL AT**

**8:15 AM & 10:30 AM.**

### Fr. Mike's Message...

#### Month of Remembrance

Some of you might recall that we as a Church celebrated the two great Liturgies of All Saints Day and All Souls Day about two weeks ago. These two celebrations take place beginning on Halloween night (All Hallows Eve) and go through November 1 and 2. November 1 is the day on which we celebrate the Hallowed ones; all the Saints of the Church, both those that we know and those we don't know. We give thanks for the Saints, both for the example they gave to us on earth, and that they continue to guide us and intercede for us in Heaven.

November 2 is a slightly different celebration; in that it is not so much a celebration as it is a commemoration. We remember not the saints in Heaven, but rather those who have died but have not yet entered into Heaven. Unlike the known saints, the majority of people do not enter directly into Heaven upon their death. Instead, those who are saved enter into Purgatory, a place where a person's soul is purified and perfected, made ready for it to be able to enter into Heaven. This day, then, is a chance for us to both remember those who have died, particularly our own loved ones, as well as remember our responsibility to pray for those who are still in Purgatory. Our prayers for them help to purify their souls, thus our prayers directly help our loved ones enter into the Heavenly Kingdom.

It is not a coincidence, then, that these two days stand at the beginning of the month of November. It is a reminder to us that while there is a special celebration for the dead at the beginning of the month, the entire month of November is a month set aside by the Church to remember the dead. For those of you especially who have lost loved ones recently, this can be an opportunity for you to spend time in prayer and reflection, maybe with other family members. Something as simple as saying a prayer to God on their behalf, or maybe lighting a candle and spending some time praying and reminiscing about a loved one with family, are different ways that we can mark this month set aside for the deceased.

I encourage all of you to take the opportunity to pray for loved ones you have lost, but also to pray for those in Purgatory who still need prayers but have no one to pray for them. Remember that life is short, and one day we will most likely be in need of those on Earth to pray for us, so let us set that example and faithfully live out the last great Spiritual Work of Mercy—to Pray for the Dead.



**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE AND EVENTS**



THE ASSUMPTION DAY	MASS INTENTION	EVENTS
Sunday, November 14 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:15 am ~ Brian Bouwens—family 10:30 am ~ Henny Shuler—Barbara Gibbons & family (Masses are in St. Michael in Lyons, Holley St.)	Fr. Mike Merritt presiding
Monday, November 15 Weekday	10:00 am ~ Mass at Newark Terrace ~ deceased members of the Diamond-McGuire families—legacy	
Tuesday, November 16 Weekday	8:00 am ~ Bill Schmidt—Schmidt family (chapel)	
Wednesday, November 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungary, religious	6:00 pm ~ Mary Vienna—Camblin family	6:30 pm ~ Holy Hour 7 pm ~ Christmas Bazaar work bee at Methodist Church
Thursday, November 18 Weekday	8:00 am ~ Jim McGraw & Jim Vandermer—Steve Murphy	
Friday, November 19 Weekday	No Communion Service	
Saturday, November 20 Weekday	No Mass	
Sunday, November 21 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	8:15 am ~ Genevieve Santelli—June & Bob Sherman 10:30 am ~ Harvey Decker—Charlie, Pattie & Alex Bowers (Masses are in St. Michael in Lyons, Holley St.)	Collection for Social Ministry Fr. Felician presiding



**WEEKEND  
MINISTRY SCHEDULE**  
for **NOVEMBER 21**

MASS	LECTORS	GREETERS
SUNDAY NOV. 21, 8:15 AM	Sr. Kay	C. Taylor, L. Lauster
SUNDAY NOV. 21, 10:30 AM	C. Wersinger	H. Banker, C. Owen

**ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING Weekly Offertory**  
**November 7 \$4788.80**

**FINANCIAL REPORT WILL BE POSTED QUARTERLY**

Many thanks for your support of St. Michael's	Budget YTD As of 9/30/21	Actual YTD	Variance
Total Collections	<b>\$75,434.00</b>	\$78,706.00	\$3,272.00
Total Revenue (less)	<b>\$91,314.00</b>	\$95,786.00	\$4,472.00
Total Expenses	<b>\$88,987.00</b>	\$87,691.00	(\$1,296.00)
Net Surplus/Deficit	<b>\$2327.00</b>	\$8095.00	

**2021/2022 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**



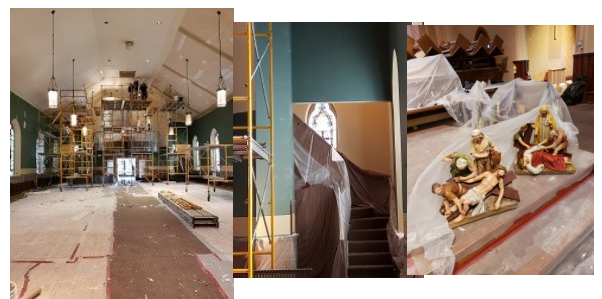
As of this date, 91 families have contributed to the CMA. We thank those who have given generously and ask all who have not yet given to prayerfully consider doing so. Please consider all the ways that God has blessed you and your family and think how the Church has brought goodness into your lives. Join our appeal and give back what you can so that we remain strong and able to do God's great work.

As of	Donors	Pledged 33.70%	Paid	Goal
11/8/21	91	\$13,755.00	\$12,380.00	\$40,815.00

**RENOVATION NEWS**  
**CARMELLA'S COMMUNICATION...**  
[carmowen120611@outlook.com](mailto:carmowen120611@outlook.com)  
**Renovation Update 11-07-21**



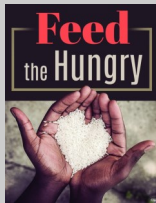
We are a little more than half way through the renovation process. Some major repair was required to the ceiling. The plaster has been repaired and fiberglass has been applied to the ceiling. While the team is working on the ceiling, Stacy has begun work on the stenciling in the Nave. The next area to address is the Choir loft and stairways. Painting of the Stations of the Cross is completed. In the next week, the statues of Mary, Joseph and St. Michael will be painted. Work continues in the elevator shaft to prepare it for the new elevator which will arrive for installation the end of November. Next big task is taking up the old carpeting and refinishing the floors. Please continue to pray for all involved in the renovation, that we may continue to remain on schedule to complete the project.



**CORRECTION IN YOUR NEXT SET OF SUNDAY  
COLLECTION ENVELOPES IN THE  
CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE  
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24TH  
CHRISTMAS EVE MASS TIMES ARE  
4:00 PM  
10:00 PM  
NO MIDNIGHT MASS**



**The special Collection** next weekend,  
November 21st is for our own  
Poor Fund/Social Ministry.  
Your generosity will help our friends in  
our community that are in need.  
Thank you for your support.



Held at **The United Methodist  
Church** 301 S. Main St., Newark  
**Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup>**  
9 am – 2 pm

**Breakfast** will be served included on the menu will be  
our famous **Breakfast Pizza, Homemade Cinnamon  
Rolls** and more.

**Lunch** menu will be **Homemade Soups, Sandwiches,  
munchies, Homemade cookies and drinks** all for only  
\$5. The elves have been busy making beautiful and prac-  
tical gifts for you and your family. You can choose  
from our famous **Basket Boutiques or Hand-  
made items** like **Wreaths, Centerpieces** and  
delicious **Baked Goods** and so much more.  
You don't want to miss it.



**ALSO...There will be a Bazaar meeting for all the  
chair people on Wednesday, November 17th at  
7 pm at the First United Methodist Church. Please  
try to attend. Thank you.**

## Advent Giving Tree

### Advent Tree Tag Process

The advent tree will be going up at St.  
Michael in Lyons the week of Thanks-  
giving. There will also be extra tags at  
the parish center in Newark. When  
choosing your tags from the tree,  
please **fill out the purple tag** and **leave it** in the gather-  
ing space **before leaving church**. After wrapping your  
gift, **securely attach the white tag** to it so the child's  
name is showing. Gifts **must be returned** to the church  
the weekend of **DECEMBER 12th or to the parish center  
in NEWARK by December 9th**. Thank you for your  
help to make this year's Advent program run smoothly.  
Any questions please call the parish center, 315-331-  
6753 or Nona, 315-398-8364. You can also ask Nona  
about the **"Adopt a Family"** option as well.



## Responsabilidad de Construir la Fe en Su Familia

En 1994 los obispos de EE. UU. publicaron una carta pastoral,  
Sigan el Camino del Amor, sobre la familia que es nuestra pri-  
mera comunidad y la más básica. Una parte de las obras de la  
familia es prometida el día del bautismo de su hijo: transmitir la  
fe, enseñar a los hijos lo que nosotros los católicos creemos, y a  
la vez fortalecernos para la misión en el mundo, fuera de la fa-  
milia. ¿Padres, cumplen lo que prometieron cuando sus hijos  
fueron bautizados? No siempre. Sabemos que los que han te-  
nido una experiencia de fe en la familia crecen para ser adultos  
que tienen una relación fuerte con Jesucristo y están compro-  
metidos a su fe como adultos. Los que meten su fe en la vida  
familiar diariamente están ayudando a sus hijos hacer lo mismo  
cuando ellos son adultos. Las familias que nutren fe están to-  
mando en serio su responsabilidad de formar discípulos.

Quizás los padres y madres están pensando, ¿Cómo podemos  
hacer eso? En el hogar hay que hablar de Dios y cómo estar  
presente y hablar con Dios por oración. También hablen sobre lo  
que creen y por qué los católicos lo creen. Compartan cómo su  
fe es una ayuda en hacer decisiones y la importancia de poner su  
fe en acción. Que triste es cuando un joven sabe muy poco de  
Dios y de su fe porque no ha sido una parte importante en la vida  
familiar.

Algunas maneras posibles de ayudar a sí mismo y a sus hijos  
es que cuando:

- \*Tú crees en Dios y que Dios te quiere. Es Dios a quien tú pides  
ayuda en tiempos difíciles; es a Dios a quien tú agradeces  
cuando las cosas te van bien.
- \*Tú amas y sigues creyendo en el valor de otra persona. Los  
niños entienden cómo es el amor de Dios por el amor que han  
experimentado de otras personas.
- \*Tú evangelizas por actuar de acuerdo con los valores del  
evangelio y así dando un ejemplo de la vida cristiana a sus hijos.  
Los hijos pueden captar el significado de eso.
- \*Tú educas por hablar a sus hijos de la fe y los valores de la vida  
cristiana. Tu ejemplo de vida enseña.
- \*Como familia oran juntos, dando gracias a Dios por sus  
bendiciones, pidiendo fuerza y consejo.
- \*En familia ustedes sirven uno a otro, a veces sacrificando sus  
propias deseos por el bien de otros. \*Tú luchas para aceptar tus  
cruces y llevarlas con amor.
- \*Tú perdonas y buscas reconciliación. Aun los padres y madres  
deben hacer eso con sus hijos. Deja ir las viejas heridas y  
rencores para hacer la paz unos con otros.
- \*Tú celebras la vida—cumpleaños, bodas, nacimientos, muertes,  
trabajos nuevos, reuniones familiares, graduación, días  
feriados... Cuando están juntos comparten historias, y así siendo  
más una familia de amor.
- \*Tú actúas justamente cuando tratas a otras con respeto, y  
cuando estás en contra de racismo y discriminación y haces  
cosas para combatir hambre, pobreza...

*Hermana Kay*

La familia cristiana debe  
de ser la iglesia  
doméstica, y sus  
principales destinatarios  
para anunciar la fe son  
sus hijos y familiares.



Hoy en día se han  
perdido muchos  
valores,

y es preciso que la familia vuelva hacer la  
primera educadora de la fe en todas las  
naciones.



Our next family gathering will be January 9, 2022 at 5 pm at St. Joseph the Worker's office in Clyde. We will share a meal and have a learning session. Any questions please call Jo Gromoske 315-902-4130 at SJTW parish office.



Preparation classes for Confirmation will be on the first Saturday of every month. All candidates will meet in Clyde at St. Joseph the Worker offices, 43 W. DeZeng St. from 9 to 11 am. Any questions please contact Corey by text at 585-451-3902.

**Hands of Christ:** The Hands of Christ is a recognition program of the Diocese of Rochester which helps to assist parishes in affirming their high school seniors who have been the "Hands of Christ" in their church, home, school and community; it is sponsored by the Department of Evangelization and Catechesis. If you would like to nominate a 2021 graduating senior for this award, please see June Sherman for a nomination form or stop by the Parish Center to pick one up. Once all nominations are received by the deadline, the senior will then be contacted by mail with a letter explaining the award. Any youth nominated will be asked to write an essay about why they feel they should be considered for this recognition, being nominated does not mean they will receive the award. All nominations need to be received by November 25, 2021. Nominations will not be accepted after this date, as we have to contact the youth and give them time to write their essays. After all essays are received, the parish staff will decide on the recipients of the award. Please keep in mind the following criteria for someone to receive this award:  
Has consistently demonstrated a Christian attitude by word and example.  
Has been actively involved in the parish as well as their school or community.  
Has been a positive role model to their peers, younger children and adults.  
Is a practicing Roman Catholic in a parish in the Diocese of Rochester and attends Mass.  
Is currently a high school senior.  
If you have any questions please call the parish center.



**ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED!**

There will be an altar server training/retraining on Sunday, November 28 immediately following the 10:30 am Mass. All current altar servers are asked to attend and we welcome any youth who want to be servers..



**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)  
8:30 am ~ Sunday St. Jude Fair Haven (summer)  
10:30 am ~ Sunday St. John the Evangelist Clyde  
**12:30 pm ~ Sunday St. Patrick's, Savannah**

**Daily Mass Schedule**

8:30 am ~ Monday St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott  
8:30 am ~ Tuesday St. John the Evangelist Clyde  
6:00 pm ~ Wednesday St. John the Evangelist, Clyde  
8:30 am ~ Thursday St. John the Evangelist Clyde  
8:30 am ~ Friday St. Michael Lyons  
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)  
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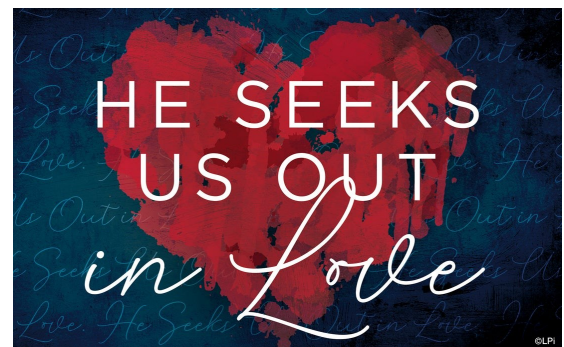
**The Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity**

Phone: 315-902-4130  
Webpage: [www.ccblessdtrinity.org](http://www.ccblessdtrinity.org)  
Facebook page: Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity



**Happy Thanksgiving**  
Together In Christ  
**Ecumenical Thanksgiving Eve Service**  
**Wednesday, Nov. 25th 7 pm,**  
**First United Methodist Church**  
301 S. Main St., 315-331-3895

Come worship together, to celebrate and give thanks for our many blessings. Scripture and meditations by local Newark clergy. Music by combined church choirs.



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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..."***

***"... 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, ET Trunick, Donald Pieters, Marcia Palermo, Jerry Sielawa, Georgette Eagley, Fran DeVelder, Mary Talbo, Ann Straight, Ivana Ernst, Gloria Viola, Michael George, Phillip Juliano, Sr., Pat Havrilla*

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, Pastor Patience Kisakye & 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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ST. FRANCIS DE SALES  
ST. STEPHEN SCHOOL

**Registration is open!**

Bussing from Geneva, Waterloo,  
Newark, Lyons, Romulus,  
Phelps-Clifton Springs and  
Seneca Falls.  
Please call  
315-789-1828.

**FOOD CLOSET ITEMS ARE STILL NEEDED.**

The Newark Food Closet is 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 BRING YOUR FOOD DONATIONS TO THE  
PARISH CENTER DURING THE RENOVATION.**

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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