

DECEMBER 5, 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 (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.

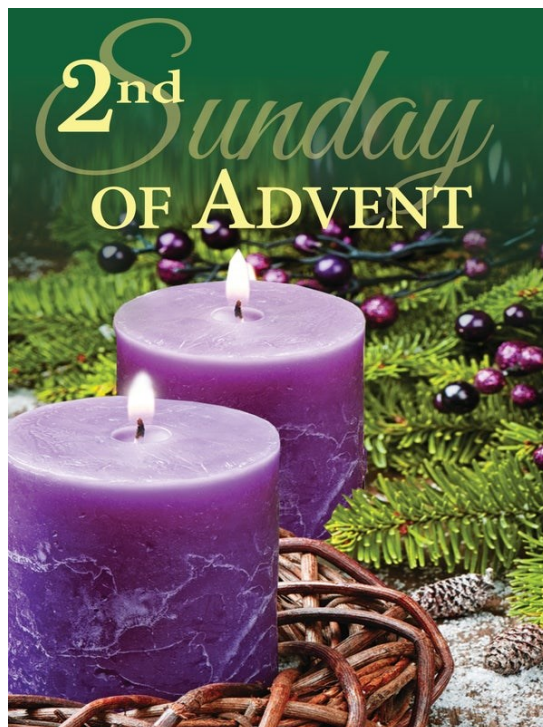
**WHILE OUR CHURCH IS BEING RENOVATED OUR
MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED AT ST. MICHAEL**

(3 Holley St.) IN LYONS.

(ST. Joseph the Worker Parish

MASSES ARE STILL AT

8:15 AM & 10:30 AM.



Advent is a season of grace when God invites us to journey deeper into his love and his presence. We as faithful disciples should confidently anticipate Jesus' coming with redeeming mercy, and prayerfully attend to Jesus' presence among us already in those who need God's mercy and our care. Let this be our Advent preoccupation: God's mercy for us and our mercy for one another.

Advent, taken from the Latin "advenio," meaning "to come" anticipates not only the coming of Jesus as a child, but is also to prepare Christians for the Second Coming of Christ at the end of time. This anticipatory season is filled with its own symbols as well. One of the most common symbols used in Advent is a wreath with four candles – three purple and one pink (or rose), representing the four Sundays of Advent. The purple, or violet, color represents the penitential nature of Advent. Advent is also a season of penance — we don't think of that, but that's why the color is violet because it is a season of penance and preparation. Advent is also a recognition of our distance from God, still more a season of anticipation and rejoicing but there's a penitential nature to it.

Our parish offers the Sacrament of Penance several times during the week....

Wednesdays -Newark- Chapel 6:30 pm -7:30 pm

Sundays - Lyons 9:15am-10:15am

Advent Penance Service

December 11 at 10.00 AM

St. Michael Church, Lyons

Don't wait! Please come.

Praise Be Lord Jesus Christ !

Fr.Felician





WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE AND EVENTS



THE ASSUMPTION DAY	MASS INTENTION	EVENTS
Sunday, December 5 Second Sunday of Advent	8:15 am ~ Cindy & son, Ben Hartman —Hartman family 10:30 am ~ For the People of the Parish (Masses are in St. Michael in Lyons, Holley St.)	Flower memorials due Advent Giving Tree Tag Selection
Monday, December 6 Advent Weekday	10:00 am ~ Mass at DeMay Living Center ~ Germaine & Frank Simonse—legacy	
Tuesday, December 7 St. Ambrose, bishop and doctor of the church	8:00 am ~ Sheila Schultz—Steve Murphy (chapel)	
Wednesday, December 8 The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary	8:00 am ~ Stanley Wlodarczyk—Theresa (Chapel in Newark) 6:00 pm ~ Dennis & McCall family—Patricia & Richard Dennis (St. Michael in Lyons)	
Thursday, December 9 Advent Weekday	8:00 am ~ Frank J. Zappia—Rose Greco & family	Advent Giving Tree gifts returned to the Parish Center
Friday, December 10 Advent Weekday	<i>No Communion Service</i>	
Saturday, December 11 Advent Weekday	<i>No Mass</i>	
Sunday, December 12 Third Sunday of Advent	8:15 am ~ Theresa Muoio & her Dad, Frank—Rose Muoio 10:30 am ~ Alex Kehoe—family (Masses are in St. Michael in Lyons, Holley St.)	Return gifts for the Advent Giving Tree

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE
for **DECEMBER 12**



MASS	LECTORS	GREETERS
SUNDAY DEC. 12, 8:15 AM	J. Addyman	P. Hartman, C. Taylor
SUNDAY DEC. 12, 10:30 AM	C. Owen	B. Sherman, S. Joslyn

ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING Weekly Offertory
November 21 \$4536.00 Social Ministry \$1075.00

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	\$75,434.00	\$78,706.00	\$3,272.00
Total Revenue (less)	\$91,314.00	\$95,786.00	\$4,472.00)
Total Expenses	\$88,987.00	\$87,691.00	(\$1,296.00)
Net Surplus/Deficit	\$2327.00	\$8095.00	

RENOVATION NEWS

CARMELLA'S COMMUNICATION...
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Renovation Update 11-29-21



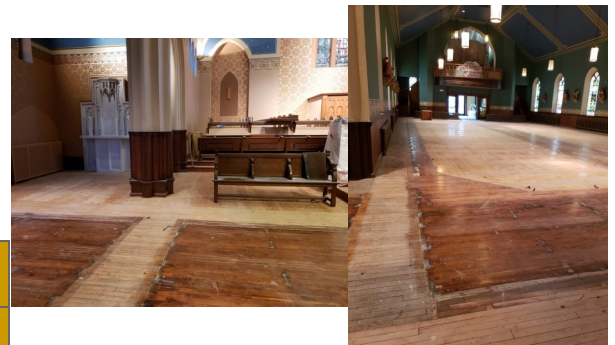
The old carpet and padding have been removed from the church. Sanding of the floors has begun in anticipation of the refinishing of the floors. This is a two step process with amply time between coats for the floors to fully dry. Pews will then be reattached to the floor and the new carpet will be installed. While in Poland recently, Fr. Felician located a statue that was exactly the correct size to fit in the South Transept Altar. We are in the home stretch now and remain on schedule to be back in our Church for Christmas! Please pray for all the workmen, suppliers and all involved in the project. God bless.

2021/2022 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL



As of this date, 118 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 47.73%	Paid	Goal
11/29/21	118	\$19,480.00	\$16,980.00	\$40,815.00



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
OF THE *Blessed Virgin Mary*

St. Michael Newark Mass schedule

Wednesday, December 8th

8:00 am Chapel in Newark

6:00 pm St. Michael Church, Lyons

Eastern Wayne County Parishes

Tuesday, December 7th

6:00 pm Vigil St. Michael, Lyons

Wednesday, December 8th

8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

6:00 pm St. John, Clyde

Advent Giving Tree



Still time to get a tag off the tree. Please **fill out the purple tag** and **leave it** in the gathering 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 next weekend, **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.



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11TH

10:00 AM

ST. MICHAEL, LYONS

&

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18TH

10:00 AM

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, CLYDE

Notre Dame Retreat House is offering

"Desert Days in Advent"

(5151 Foster Rd., Canandaigua, NY 14424)

This Advent, Notre Dame Retreat House will be offering single days in silence, reflection and prayer entitled "Desert Days in Advent". All are invited to join us, December 8th is the last date available to spend time alone with God in order to prepare our hearts and mind for the Birth of Christ in us. Space is limited to twenty this day, so registration is required.

*Please call 585-394-5700 or
email ndreat@rochester.rr.com*

¿Cómo Puedo Encontrar Tiempo para Orar?

"La vida es tan ocupada. ¿Cómo puedo encontrar tiempo para orar?" Con todas las obligaciones de nuestra vida, es tentador dejar la oración para mañana, y luego olvidarlo. ¿Cómo podemos hacer tiempo para la oración?

Madre Teresa de Calcuta dijo: "Si no nos tomamos el tiempo para orar, no podríamos hacer este trabajo." Sabemos que Madre Teresa y las hermanas de su congregación, las Misioneras de la Caridad tenían mucho trabajo entre los pobres de Calcuta. Madre Teresa nunca permitió que ninguna cantidad de trabajo invadiera su tiempo de oración o el de sus hermanas--sin oración, todo lo demás fallaba.

La oración es el corazón de toda vida cristiana, no solo de las órdenes religiosas. Si sacas el corazón, el cuerpo morirá. Si fortalece el corazón, el cuerpo será más fuerte. Si hace mayores exigencias al cuerpo, el corazón puede exigir más.

Frecuentemente dejamos de lado la oración en medio de las constantes demandas del trabajo, la familia, la escuela, el teléfono, la televisión y otras cosas prácticas, pero si no oramos, todos los aspectos de nuestra vida sufren. Una forma de hacer de la oración una práctica constante es programar un tiempo de oración regular para usted en casa. Decida cuántos minutos va a ocupar por la oración cada día y de a poco añada algunos minutos más cada día. También puede programar una hora santa tal vez semanal, tal vez quincenal o mensual. Puede mantenerlo centrado y espiritualmente fuerte para ayudarlo en tiempos de dificultad. Le ayudará a seguir orando incluso si no puede estar con otros por la hora santa.

En este tiempo de Adviento intente empezar un programa de oración, usando el librito de *Palabra entre Nosotros* con las reflexiones. Hable con Dios en sus propias palabras y centrada en su vida. De a poco vaya formando una relación personal con Dios. *Hermana Kay*



OUR CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24TH

CHRISTMAS EVE MASS TIMES ARE

4:00 PM

10:00 PM

NO MIDNIGHT MASS

CHRISTMAS SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25

8:30 AM





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.

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

A VOICE OF ONE CRYING OUT IN THE DESERT:
"PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD,
MAKE STRAIGHT HIS PATHS.
EVERY VALLEY SHALL BE FILLED
AND EVERY MOUNTAIN AND HILL SHALL BE MADE LOW."

—LUKE 3:4-5

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Angel's Attic at 604 South Main Street
You can find donated treasures of jewelry, household items, games and more!
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Laurel House Comfort Care home.
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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)
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

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The Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity

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EASTERN WAYNE COUNTY PARISHES

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE



CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES

4:00 pm St. John the Evangelist, Clyde
4:00 pm St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott
6:00 pm St. Michael, Lyons
7:00 St. Thomas, Red Creek
10:00 pm St. John the Evangelist, Clyde

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES

8:30 am St. John the Evangelist, Clyde
10:30 am St. Michael, Lyons
10:30 am St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott



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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..."

Betty Lou Davis, mother of Linda Guido

"... 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***



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.