

# St. Michael Mass Schedule and Intentions

## Sunday January 21, 2018 – Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

<b>Saturday</b>	January 20	5:30 PM	Jim Wise
<b>Sunday</b>	January 21	8:00 AM	Severus Uhl
		11:00 AM	Charles Fessel
<b>Tuesday</b>	January 23	6:00 PM	Dustin Burch
<b>Friday</b>	January 26	9:00 AM	Marth Jane Wingler
<b>Saturday</b>	January 27	5:30 PM	Portia Morellion
<b>Sunday</b>	January 28	8:00 AM	George & Garnetta Geswein
		11:00 AM	Jim, Sue, & Jennifer Smith

### THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS



Stanley Zollman, William Wright  
Fabyunkey, Troy Willoughby,  
Rose Kiefer, Fr. J.R. Hadnagy  
Anna Kaelin, Wanda Gehm,

Lenny Alderman, Julie Payne, Ann Lillpop,  
Marilyn Hinds, Gary Sager, Jane Pruitt, Evelyn  
Plucinik, Jerry Kiesler, Priscilla Gettelfinger,  
Matthew Krueger, Frank Brown, Marie Schroeder,  
Bradley L. Smith, Bobbi Hammon, Jack Dohoney,  
Jerome Smith, Debbie Jones, Jeremy Butcher,  
Randi Duffee, Denise Baugham, Glenda Farris

**Prayer List or Military Update** – Please call the office at 812-364-6646, drop a note in the collection basket, or e-mail us at: [st.michaels@mw.twcba.com](mailto:st.michaels@mw.twcba.com)

**Please Pray for Our Military & Their Families**  
CPO Johnathan Akers, Danny Baker, Tyler Hall, Lt. Col. Scott Schroeder, Zachary Shinkle, Matt Train, William Gilmer, Mark Snapp, Brad Missi

**Weekly Collection:** January 14, 2017  
Sun. Collection: \$ 6,432.00  
Needed for Budget: \$ 7,134.65  
Difference: - \$ 702.65

### Soup Kitchen

If you would like to help feed the poor, we need your help to fix lunch and serve it on Monday January 29, 2018. If you can go/help, please call Joanne Kochert at 812-267-5291 or 812-364-6623. We will leave at 7:45am and return about 2:30pm.

### LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE:

**January 27 & 28, 2017**

**Saturday: 5:30 PM**

**EM:** Linda Smith, Jesse Waller, Carol Wise, Janice Allen

**L:** Donna Newton

**S:** Robert & Vickie Fessel

**SVRS:** Rebecca Gleitz, Vincent Brendan, Haydon Waller

**U:** Vernon Wise, Brian Dohoney, Billy Jacobi, Brian Jacobi

**M:** Duet – Tim, Will

**Sunday: 8:00 AM**

**EM:** Jonnie Sue Uhl, Pam Waller, Lauren Campbell, Katy Casper, Kathy Atkins

**L:** Katy Casper

**S:** Katy Casper

**SVRS:** Adriana Roll, Julia Campbell

**U:** Brenda, Dylan, & Kenneth Beach, Gordon Geswein

**M:** Men's Chorus

**Sunday: 11:00 AM**

**EM:** Cheryl & Mark Davidson, Rick Elder, Karen Harbeson

**L:** Frank Krider

**S:** Kim & Jerry Renneker

**SVRS:** Jady Martin, Nick Murner

**U:** Bob Book, Tom Bowling, Daniel Carney, Theresa Light

**M:** All Musicians

**Finance Commission Meeting**

Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 6:30 pm

**Pastoral Council Meeting**

Tuesday, February 6 @ 6:30 pm

### **The Week Ahead:**

**Sunday** – Faith Formation Classes 9:30 a.m.

- Sacramental Prep Meeting 9:45 a.m.
- Youth Activities Team 6:00 p.m.
- Men's Group 7:00 p.m.

**Monday** –

**Tuesday** – Quilting 8:30 – 2:30

- Finance Commission Meeting 6:30 p.m.

**Wednesday**- Senior Gathering at Noon

- RCIA Gathering 7:00 p.m.

**Thursday** – Bible Study 9:30 a.m.

**Friday** –

**Saturday** –

**Next Sunday** – Faith Formation Classes 9:30 a.m.

### **Wisdom & Works of Mercy**

Join us for a small group study titled, Wisdom and Works of Mercy. We will delve into the Most Holy Trinity as the key to bringing faith from our heads to our hearts and out into our lives!

We meet Monday's from 7:00 till 8:30 p.m. If you have any questions, call Pam Waller at 812-946-1164

### **St. Michael Food Pantry**

We are working towards establishing our own Food Pantry here at St. Michael Parish. This will allow us to provide for the needy in our local area. Our office is experiencing numerous walk in food requests. At this point, we need nonperishable food and personal hygiene items - including diapers, baby wipes and baby wash.

Welcomed donations will be accepted at all times; you may leave your donated items in the back of Church on weekends or bring them to the office Monday – Thursday.

**Thank YOU for your generous support!**

### **Propagation of the Faith Collection**

Next weekend is Propagation of the Faith Sunday; it gives all of us the opportunity to reach out to the people of the world. By our Baptism we take on the responsibility to be Christ's witnesses and to share our faith with the world that has yet to hear the Good News of God's love. Please be as generous as possible.

### **PROVIDENCE TO HOLD DEANERY NIGHT**

Our Lady of Providence Jr.-Sr. High School will hold its Winter Deanery Night on Tuesday, Jan. 23, during the varsity boys' basketball game vs. Silver

Creek, beginning at 7:30 p.m. All students, teachers and families from the New Albany Deanery are invited to attend. Deanery boys' basketball teams will be recognized during halftime. Other events will include a 3-point shooting contest among the Deanery coaches.

### **Connected in the Spirit Listening Session**

All Parishioners are invited to join Archbishop Thompson in giving feedback and input into the recommendations made by the Archdiocesan Planning Commission. The listening session in the New Albany Deanery will be on Tuesday, January 30th at Providence High School in the Robinson Theatre, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. All parishioners are invited to come and listen and/or share comments about the plan. The Archbishop will make the final decision about the plan after the listening session occurs. The recommendation made by the planning commission about our cohort is as follows:

St. Bernard, Frenchtown, St. Joseph in Marengo and St. Michael, Bradford continue to be linked parishes.

Linked Parishes were defined by the Connected in the Spirit Process as follows:

**Linked Parishes** happen when two or more parishes share a pastor. Linked parishes do as many things as possible cooperatively especially given that the pastor/administrator is striving to serve two or more separate parishes. Characteristics of linked parishes include:

- The parishes remain distinct canonical entities.
- The parishes are encouraged to work toward combining Parish Pastoral Council meetings and to establishing common committees where possible.
- According to Canon Law, linked parishes must have separate finance councils.
- Linked parishes do many things cooperatively, such as programs and in-services.
- Joint staff meetings where cooperative planning happens are marks of well-functioning linked parishes.

# Faith Formation News for St. Michael Catholic Church

The 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, January 21, 2017

Faith Formation Office Hours are: St. Michael Church - Tuesday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Fridays 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. and St. Bernard Church – Fridays 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

## Faith Formation News:

### Upcoming Faith Formation Classes:

January 21	Grades Pre-School – Grade 12
January 28	Grades Pre-School – Grade 12
February 4	Grades Pre-School – Grade 12
February 11	Grades Pre-School – Grade 12

**Sacramental Prep Meetings** – We will have a Sacramental Prep meeting on this Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup> for all parents who have a child who will celebrate their First Communion this spring. We will meet at St. Bernard in the narthex at 8:10 a.m. and at St. Michael in the lower level of the church at 9:45 a.m. We will be discussing how to talk with your child about the Eucharist and how we will celebrate the sacrament.

**Men's Group** – We will have Men's Group on this Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the Faith Formation Center. All men in the parish are invited to join us!



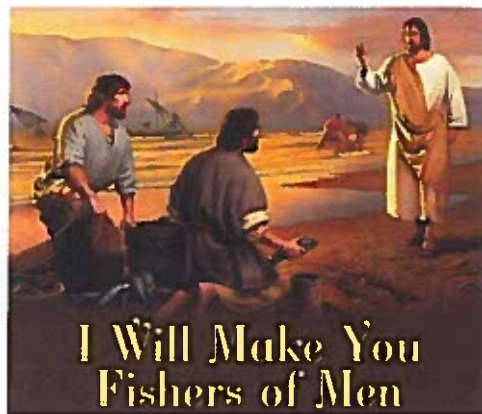
**Thursday Morning Bible Study** – Our Thursday Morning Bible Study will meet this Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. when we continue our study of "Catching Fire, Becoming Flame. All adults are welcome to join us anytime!

**Senior Gathering** – Our next gathering will be on Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup>. We will gather at noon for mid-day prayer and then everyone is invited to bring something to share for lunch. Our main course will be Tomato Basil and Vegetable Soup.

**Parish Mission - Heart and Soul Spirituality** – All Parishioners are invite to our Parish Mission at St. Michael Church on February 18<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>. Fr. John Graden, OSFS will join us and lead us through our time of renewal. The title of the mission will be "Heart and Soul Spirituality" and will center on Being the Beloved: Our Identity as God's Own, Responding to God: Sin and Reconciliation, Being in Christ: Ministry of the Baptized, A Faith to be Shared: Liturgy of the Eucharist. Each evening will begin at 7:00 p.m. followed by a parish social. Plan now to join your parish community and gather with us each evening.

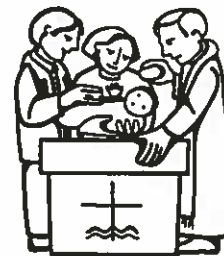


**David the King** – All Adults are invited to join us for this study on King David and how he relates to Jesus on six Sundays during lent. We will begin our study on Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. in the Faith Formation Center. Adam was the first king and steward of the rightly ordered Garden of Eden. He was called to govern the garden according to God's mind and purpose, but by allowing negative influences to wreak havoc on Eden, he did not fulfill his kingly responsibility. Long after Adam, David emerged as the definitive king who would restore order in the Garden and bring the world under the lordship of God. But like Adam, David fell, and his reign ushered in a succession of compromised kings and rejected prophets. King David causes us to look back toward Adam's kingship and forward toward Christ the King, seeing Christ as the fulfillment of the Davidic line and the realization of the Kingdom of God on earth. If you would like to attend please call the Faith Formation Office or sign up on the sheet in the narthex of church.



**Confirmation Class** – Our next Confirmation class for our Confirmation Candidates will be on Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. in the lower level of the church.

**Baptismal Prep Classes** – We will have a baptismal prep class for any parents who would like to have their child baptized at St. Michael, St. Bernard, or St. Joseph Churches. We have a prep class scheduled for Saturday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. at St. Michael Church. Please call the Faith Formation Office at 812-364-6173 to register.



**Youth Ministry News:**

**Youth Activities Team** – The youth activities team will meet on this Sunday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m. Be sure to bring your calendars and Shorter Christian Prayer book.

**Summer Mission Trip Meeting** – If you are interested in attending the summer Mission Trip to Appalachia, the summer service week, Faith in Action, the One Bread, One Cup Liturgical Conference, or the Stubenville Summer Youth Conference please plan on attending the informational meeting on Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> following the 11:00 a.m. Mass in the parish center with.



**Confirmation Retreat** – We will present a retreat for Confirmation Candidates at St. Michael, St. Bernard, or St. Joseph on February 10-11. We will begin on Saturday at 8:30 a.m. by gathering at the Parish Center at St. Michael and will finish following the 11:00 a.m. Mass on the 11<sup>th</sup>. The retreat will be filled with talks, games, prayer time, and community building. The cost of the retreat is \$40.00 which covers the cost of food and supplies. Everyone should bring a pillow, sleeping bag, air mattress, change of clothes, and whatever you need to clean up the next day. Please sign up for the retreat by turning in your permission slip and fee to the Faith Formation Office by January 28<sup>th</sup>.

**ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SOPHOMORES** – Are you standing on the shore waiting for the right time to dive into your Catholic faith and your relationship with Jesus Christ? Come explore how you can take that leap of faith! Registration is open for "Divin" in Retreat, February 17-18 at Mt. St. Francis Youth Center. Cost is \$95. **REGISTRATION DEADLINE FEB. 2nd.** For registration forms or to register online go to [nadyouth.org](http://nadyouth.org)

**Young Adult Ministry:**

**Attending IUS?** Come visit the Coordinator of Programming for Catholic Youth Ministries on campus, Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> at noon. Jennifer can be found in the cafeteria checking in with young adults from our deanery. She would love to see you. She can be contacted at [Jennifer@nadyouth.org](mailto:Jennifer@nadyouth.org) or 812-923-8355.

**Theology on Tap** - an informal gathering for young adults to explore Catholic Life! **NOTE CHANGE IN DATE.** Our next gathering will be Tuesday, February 6<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm at Wick's Pizza, 225 State St., New Albany. It's a speaker series where we enjoy drink specials, excellent conversation, exciting talks and great company! Catholic Youth Ministries 812-923-8355/[nadyouth.org](http://nadyouth.org)

**Question of the Week for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time:**

**Question for Children:** What do you think it was like for the people in today's Gospel to be called by Jesus? What did they have to give up in order to follow him?

**Question for Youth:** At the start of Jesus' ministry, Jesus invites people to "believe in the Good News." What are some ways that you could be more open to the truth and challenge contained within the Gospels?

**Question for Adults:** If someone asked you, "To what work has Jesus called you?" how would you answer?