

ST. MICHAEL'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

20 Page Avenue ~ Cohoes, N.Y. 12047

Rev. Peter Tkocz, Pastor

MISSION STATEMENT:

To enhance and promote the fulfillment of St. Michael the Archangel, we will:

CELEBRATE THE PAST:

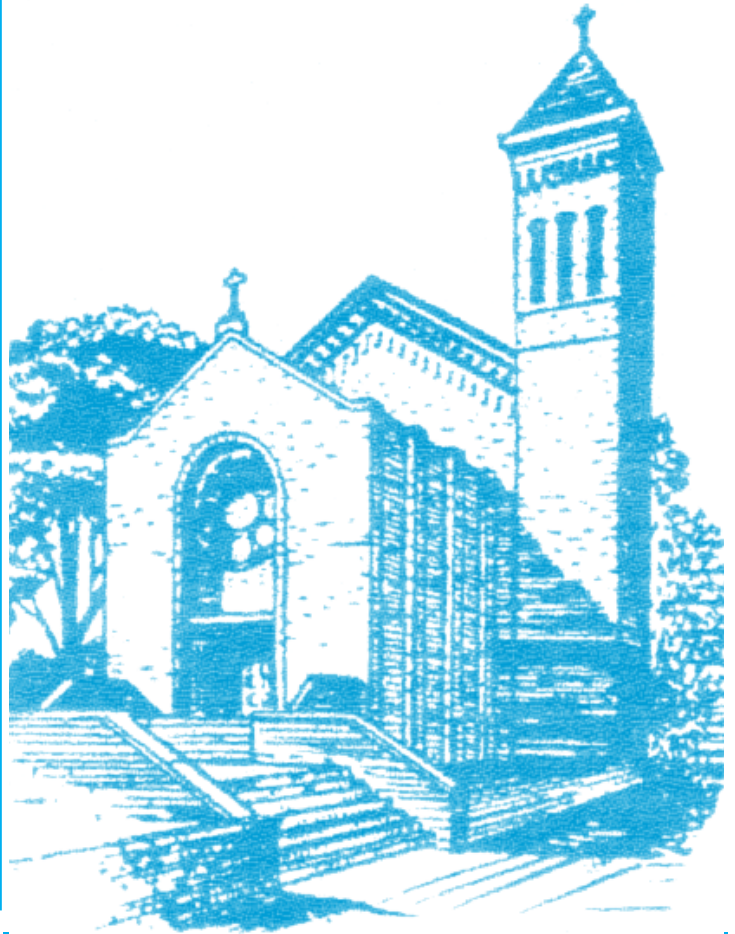
By examining, studying and capturing the history of the men and women, religious and lay, who established, nurtured and built it and all of its facets;

LEARN TODAY:

By learning from their faith, vision, passion commitment and actions so that we may better understand our history and their legacy;

PREPARE FOR TOMORROW:

By renewing the parish and its religious and lay leaders and its lay members; build on the legacy of the past and use our present strengths and abilities to help St. Michael's be a shining example and light of Christ and our history for all we touch.



MASS SCHEDULE:

Daily Eucharist: as stated in the bulletin

Lord's Day Eucharist:

Saturday Vigil: at 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am (English) & 11:00 am (Polish)

Eve. of Holy Days - Consult Bulletin

Parish Office: (518) 237-5151

Office Hours: : Tues. - Thurs. 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Fax: Dial above number to notify

E-mail address: parishinfo@stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Web site: www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Church Hall: (518) 237-7121

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday Afternoon 3:15 to 3:45 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: By arrangement with the Parish Office. Parents should be registered and active members of the Parish.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: The Bride and Groom should call the Parish Office at least six months before the date of the marriage. Please bring recent copies of your Baptismal certificate. Those under 21 should not set a marriage date until Diocesan permission has been obtained.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: We want to assist those who cannot celebrate Mass with us because of illness, age or handicap. If you or a family member desires to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Eucharist or Anointing of the Sick at home or in the hospital, please call the PARISH OFFICE. In the event of an upcoming surgery, call the Parish Office to arrange a mutually convenient time for Anointing. By LAW, hospitals cannot notify us when parishioners are admitted. If you or a family member is hospitalized, please notify us.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: We ask every member of the parish to be properly registered. All adults should have and use envelopes. New members need to register as soon as possible. All address changes should be given to the Parish Office.

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THANK YOU... TO ALL WHO SHARED THEIR TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE FOR THE GOOD OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY LAST WEEK.

SANCTUARY CANDLES

Week of October 1st – October 7th

CHURCH:

In loving memory of †*John Duda*
by Mr. & Mrs. Marian Wiercioch.

CHAPEL:

Special Intention
by Mom.



Become a member of St. Michael's Parish: We warmly welcome new members to St. Michael's Church! Registration forms can be found in the back of the church or downloaded from our parish website, www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org. Completed forms may be emailed to parishinfo@stmichaelsofcohoes.org or placed in the offertory collection basket.

BINGO WORKERS for October 2nd, Team 4:

Frank Gebosky, Jr. — Captain, John Frainier, Ed Kosek, Judith Gatz-Mullin, Doris Vojnar, Tina Kilventon, Maria Swieton, Julia Clairmont, Stanislaw Bobek, Emily Kosek, Teresa Barlik, & Janina Kowalik. Thank you!

HELP WANTED: Do you enjoy meeting new people? Do you have 2-3 hours a month available to assist in raising funds for our parish? We are looking for some new volunteers to join our Bingo teams. We need help selling cards, game callers, or in the kitchen. If you volunteer, you would be scheduled to work once every five weeks, or more often if you have time available. No previous Bingo experience is required. Come join us and meet some new friends and help your parish. If you are interested in this volunteer opportunity, contact Maria Swieton at (518) 782-1203 or stop in any Tuesday night between 6:00 - 9:00pm and check us out.

Weekly Contributions

September 23, 2018	\$2,974.00
Year 2017	\$3,116.00
Regular Offertory*	\$2,290.00
Catholic University Collection	\$457.00
Parish Support	\$87.00
Church Hall Improvements	\$60.00
Candle Offerings	\$47.00
Religious Assistance to Poland	\$25.00
Evangelist	\$2.00
Faith Formation	\$2.00
Fuel	\$2.00
Insurance	\$2.00
*Regular Offertory:	
4:00 Mass	(no Mass)
9:00 Mass	\$1,039.00
11:00 Mass	\$607.00
By Mail	\$190.00
E-Giving	\$454.00

Second Collection: The **INSURANCE** collection will be the weekend of October 6th & 7th. Thank you for your anticipated support.

Liturgical Roles⁺

Weekend of October 6th & 7th, 2018

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
4:00PM	M. Horner C. Sponable	E. Twiss B. Brehm T. Czurlanis N. Signoracci	J. & T. Sliwa
9:00AM	P. Ostiguy D. Vojnar	K. Kilventon E. Kosek, Jr. J. Harrington J. Frainier	F. Gebosky, Jr.
11:00AM	B. Jackowska H. Mazur	B. Jackowska E. Barlik E. Leoniak K. Lopatniuk	S. Bobek

Please note: In case of a funeral, the daily Mass intention(s) will be included in the funeral Mass celebration.



Keep the Legacy Alive

Please remember St. Michael's in your will
St. Michael the Archangel R. C. Church
20 Page Ave, Cohoes, NY 12047

CHURCH HALL IMPROVEMENTS

**PHASE 2 - PAINTING & WALL REPAIR
PRELIMINARY COST ESTIMATE - \$28,330
DONATIONS TO DATE - \$5,375.85**

In memory of †*Thomas & Stacia Gorsky* by Janet Gorsky, in memory of †*Kathleen Whalen* by Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Zychowski, in memory of †*James Cook* by Mrs. James Cook, in memory of †*Gerald & Anna Anania* by Mrs. Anne Bumbulsky, Joel Valentini, in memory of †*Walter & Agnes Lipka* by Mr. & Mrs. Walter Lipka, in memory of †*Zofia & Jerzy Pietkiewicz* by Regina Paquette, in memory of †*Frank Castle* by Mrs. Frank Castle. **Thank you!**

SOCIAL HOUR: Thank you to everyone who came to our September Social gathering. Thank you for sharing your favorite dishes with all. Thank you to our Hostesses and their Elf for preparing and cleaning up. Our **October Social will be weekend of 13th & 14th** after each mass.

COATS FOR THE COMMUNITY: The Ladies of Charity once again are collecting coats/jackets, snow pants for children (all sizes) and coats/jackets for men and women, all sizes, new or gently used, dry cleaned or washed. You may leave coats in the designated box in the church hall **until October 14th**. Contact Kazia (518) 867-1427 or Danuta (518) 237-5151 (M-TH). Thank you for your support.

ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS: The ladies of the Rosary Society at St. Michael's are sponsoring a **Living Rosary**. On Sunday, October 7th at 2:00 pm the ladies will meet and pray the Rosary as they walk within the Church to honor Our Lady. All are welcome. And light refreshments will be served after the prayers.

The **Rosary for Peace** will be held again this year at St. Michael's in the Church parking lot. Saturday, October 13th at noon will be the meeting time and bring a friend. Other local Churches will also participate to honor Our Lady of Fatima.

Our **Communion Breakfast** is on October 28th after the 11:00 Mass. Brunch at the Van Schaick Country Club will follow. Tickets will be sold after the Masses. Watch for further details.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Rosary & Novena - Chapel	Tuesdays, 6:30pm
Living Rosary	October 7, 2pm
Rosary for Peace	October 13, noon
Social Hours - after Mass	October 13 & 14
All Saints Mass	October 31, 6pm
All Souls Mass	November 2, 6pm
Basket Bingo - Church Hall	November 4

BISHOP'S APPEAL 2018

A Simple Act of Profound Impact

**Number of gifts received: 101
Paid now: \$12,621.00**

**Number of pledges received: 30
Pledged amount: \$7,304.00**

**Direct Pledges/Gifts online: 6
Amount: \$1,265.00**

**Total gifts/pledges: \$21,190.00
Parish assessment: \$30,050.00**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT



PERSONAL CARE DRIVE FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES:

For the 4th year, St. Michael's Parish has offered to be a Sponsor for the Personal Care Drive for Catholic Charities for the **month of October**. This drive helps folks who have HIV/Aids and other Chronic Illnesses that Catholic Charities helps through their expanded Medicaid intensive case management services. Items they are in most need are: laundry detergent, dish soap, household cleaning products; personal hygiene products (soaps, shampoo, deodorant, shaving items); paper products (bath tissue, tissues, paper towels); sheets (full & twin) and bath towels. Anything you can donate will be appreciated. Please drop your donations in the box labeled "Personal Care Drive for Catholic Charities" in the back of the church during the month of October. If you have any questions, please call Kathy Kosek at (518) 785-1674 or Pat Harrington at (518) 237-5158.

NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

36th FAMILY ROSARY CRUSADE: At St. Joseph/St. Patrick Church, 702 Columbia St., Utica, NY on Sunday, **October 7th** at 3pm. The guest speaker is Rev. William Casey from the Divine Mercy Fathers who will conduct a 3-day mission starting October 7th. The healing shawl that was worn by St. Padre Pio will be present at this year's crusade for all to be blessed. First class relics of St. Jacinta and St. Francisco Marto will be venerated. Free rosaries and scapulars will be given to all. Contact Anna Marie Piacentino at (315) 735-8375.

5th ANNUAL SAGE GATOR'S COLUMBUS DAY BASKETBALL SKILLS CLINIC: For boys ages 10 - 17. **October 8th**, 9am - 4 pm, at Kahl Campus Center, Sage College of Albany, 44 Academy Road. Contact Brian Barnes at (518) 292-1969 or barneb@sage.edu.

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Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 29 – October 7, 2018

Sat., Sept. 29	Sts. Michael, Gabriel, & Raphael, Archangels
4:00 p.m.	† <i>Raffael Cappabianca</i> by Family † <i>Noreen Tansky</i> by Pat Wilcox † <i>Fr. Richard Dybas</i> by Bolaski Family † <i>Earl Hampton, Jr.</i> by Alan R. & Janet G. † <i>Mike Zandri</i> by Michael & Marilyn Gallagher & Mary Savage † <i>Warren J. Fitzgerald, Sr. (4th Anniv.)</i> by Martha & Family Ed & Kathy Twiss (46 th Anniv.) by Doris Vojnar
Sun., Sept. 30	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Monica & Anna Nowaczyk</i> by Therese Blizniak † <i>Marie P. Clairmont (18th Anniv.)</i> by Family † <i>Frank Doleski (4th Anniv.)</i> by Janet Gorsky † <i>Leona Kimball</i> by Pat & John Harrington
11:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>Michael Duda (Birthday)</i> by Mama & Rodzina
Mon., Oct. 1	Saint Therese of the Child Jesus
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Bert Tremblay</i> by Estate of Bert Tremblay Special Intention for health for Judith by a Friend
Tues., Oct. 2	The Holy Guardian Angels
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Katherine A. Baker</i> by Estate of Katherine A. Baker
Wed., Oct. 3	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Herbert Tkocz</i> by Family † <i>Steven Struss</i> by Friends
Th., Oct. 4	Saint Francis of Assisi
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Fri., Oct. 5	
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Sat., Oct. 6	
4:00 p.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>Edith Wilcox</i> by Pat Wilcox † <i>Phyllis & Henry Kuczynski</i> by Children † <i>Mike Zandri</i> by Michael & Marilyn Gallagher & Mary Savage † <i>Michael Remillard</i> by Doris Vojnar † <i>Joanne Papa (13th Anniv.)</i> by Ed & Kathy Twiss † <i>Theresa Benamati (Wedd. Anniv.)</i> by Children
Sun., Oct. 7	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Jennifer Ostwald</i> by Grandparents John & Pat † <i>John Sloboda</i> by Famiy † <i>William Yankowski</i> by Barbara Smith
11:00 a.m.	† <i>John Duda (51st Anniv.)</i> by Zona & Dzieci † <i>Helen Szostak Baillergeon</i> by Helen Maxwell

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St. Michael's

Faith Formation News

Director: Kathy Burns

(518) 237-0370; (518) 428-6353

**FAITH FORMATION IMPORTANT DATES AND
ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Thank you to everyone who attended the Hearts Aflame Eucharistic Congress.

Faith Formation classes have begun.

Thank you to everyone who helped at the Ice Cream Social for our opening day.

Thank you to our Catechists, substitutes and aides for beginning another wonderful year with the children

Our next Wednesday class will be October 3rd. The children are learning about creation and prayer. Teens are deepening their knowledge of the Sacraments.

IMPORTANT FAITH FORMATION DATES:

October 3 – Regular Wednesday Classes.

October 6 – Saturday hot meal service, United Church of Cohoes, 1pm – 5:45pm.

October 10 – Rosary with Children – 6pm – All Classes including 7:15 classes.

October 17 – Regular Wednesday Classes – Safe Environment training during class time.

October 24 – Regular Wednesday Classes.

October 31 – No Faith Formation Classes.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy Of The Word will return on **Sunday, October 14th at 9AM Mass.**

To explain Children's Liturgy Of The Word here is a brief synopsis:

The children who are attending Mass are invited to come to the foot of the Altar, where Father Peter gives the children a blessing and dismisses them with the Catechists. The children then go to the Church Hall where Catechists and helpers proclaim the Gospel in language that the children can understand and process. A craft or song is completed and the children pray their own General Intentions. The children are brought back to their parents after the adults have prayed the General Intentions.

Children's Liturgy of The Word is celebrated on the second Sunday of every month at the 9AM Mass while school is in session.

All children are invited to attend. They do not have to be enrolled in Faith Formation class to attend. Teens are encouraged to attend and assist as needed.