

# 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:

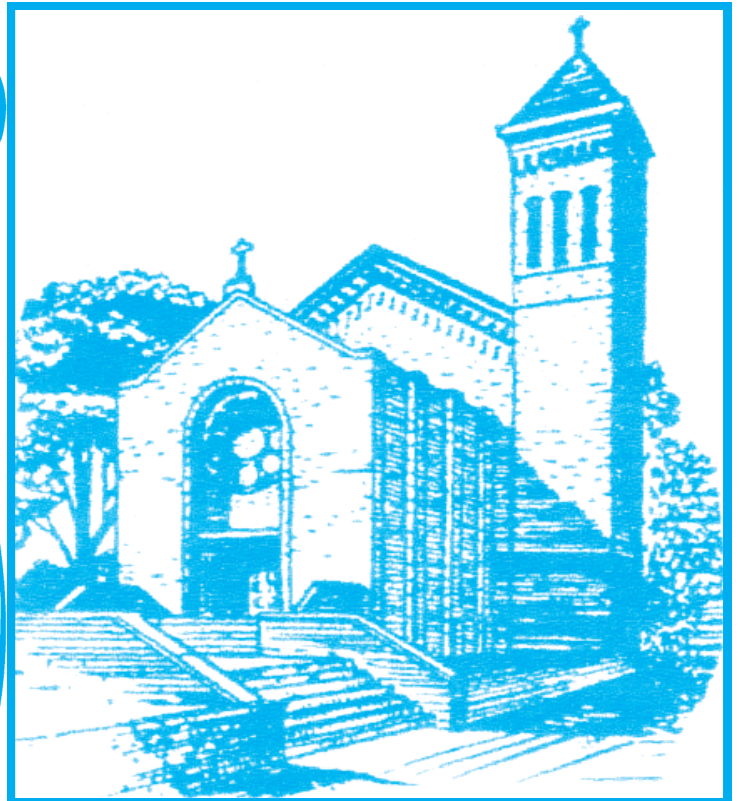
*By examining, studying and capturing the history of the  
men and women, religious and lay, who  
established, nurtured and built it and all of its facets;*

## 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 exam-  
ple and light of Christ and our history for all we  
touch.*



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## 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)

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**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/or Groom must be a registered parishioner for at least one year before making marriage arrangements. 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.

Parish Office: (518) 237-5151

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

Fax: Dial above number to notify

E-mail address: [parishinfo@stmichaelsofcohoes.org](mailto:parishinfo@stmichaelsofcohoes.org)

Web site: [www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org](http://www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org)

Church Hall: (518) 237-7121

Faith Formation: (518) 237-5151 ext. 5

**January 25, 2015**

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Masses**

**January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015 - February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015**

<b>Jan. 24, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	Intention of Parishioners req. by Fr. Peter † <i>Rita Berdar</i> req. by the Busta Family † <i>Mary &amp; Ray Knorowski</i> req. by Jane Gebosky & Son
<b>Jan. 25, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Jaques Giroux (10<sup>th</sup> Ann.)</i> req. by his wife Helen † <i>Virginia Nitsky</i> req. by John & Pat Harrington † <i>Erik M. Potyrala (7<sup>th</sup> Ann.)</i> & † <i>Michael D. Potyrala (5<sup>th</sup> Ann.)</i> req. by Sandy Potyrala For the health of Dorothy Tabor req. by Ann Marie Castle
11:00 a.m.	† <i>Ted &amp; Jeanne T. Bartnick</i> req. by the Estate of Jeanne T. Bartnick
<b>Jan. 26, Mon.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Florent Langdoc</i> & † <i>Eva Langdoc</i> req. by the Estate of Eva Langdoc
<b>Jan. 27, Tue.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Gloria R. Galeo, her parents</i> † <i>Frank &amp; Susan D'Amico, and her brothers</i> † <i>Cosimo &amp; Anthony</i> req. by the Estate of <i>Gloria R. Galeo</i>
<b>Jan. 28, Wed.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>James &amp; Andrew Savage</i> req. by their Family † <i>Ted &amp; Jeanne T. Bartnick</i> req. by the Estate of Jeanne T. Bartnick
<b>Jan. 29, Thu.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Jan. 30, Fri.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Jan. 31, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	† <i>Henry Dudek</i> req. by his Family † <i>George Cunningham</i> req. by Jane Gebosky
<b>Feb. 1, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners req. by Fr. Peter † <i>Richard Burzynski (3<sup>rd</sup> Ann.)</i> req. by his Wife, Children & Grandchildren
11:00 a.m.	† <i>Gloria R. Galeo, her parents</i> † <i>Frank &amp; Susan D'Amico, and her brothers</i> † <i>Cosimo &amp; Anthony</i> req. by the Estate of <i>Gloria R. Galeo</i>

**Weekly Contributions**

January 17 <sup>th</sup> & January 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2015	\$ 3,234.00
Year 2014	\$ 3,848.80
Fuel	\$ 137.00
Candle Offerings	\$ 81.00
Insurance	\$ 30.00
Christmas	\$ 10.00
Immaculate Conception	\$ 8.00
Saturday, 4:00 PM Mass	\$ 1,241.00
Sunday, 9:00 AM Mass	\$ 894.00
Sunday, 11:00 AM Mass	\$ 651.00
Mail	\$ 182.00

**Liturgical Roles<sup>+</sup>**

**Weekend of January 31<sup>st</sup> & February 1<sup>st</sup>**

Mass	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
4:00pm	E. Twiss F. Dudwoire	J. Gebosky F. Dudwoire K. Twiss T. Czurlanis	E. Twiss
9:00am	P. Ostiguy K. Garceau	K. Kosek D. Partyka E. Kosek, Jr. P. Ostiguy	J. Frainier
11:00am	W. Lubowski A. Brewka	M. Sala M. Zielinski D. Voynar I. Pietkiewicz	S. Bobek

**In Sympathy**



**DECEASED:** †*Virginia M. Opela* passed away recently. Please keep her family in your prayers.



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

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



**GRADES 1-5:** Classes will meet on Wednesday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, from 6pm to 7pm in the Parish Center.

**GRADES 6-11:** Classes will meet on Wednesday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, from 7:15pm to 8:15pm in the Parish Center.

On Saturday, January 17<sup>th</sup>, our **students in grades 8, 9 and 10** visited the **Regional Food Bank** in Latham where they sorted and packed donations for local food pantries.

It is still not too late to join us in the Faith Formation Program. If you have a circumstance that is preventing you from registering, please call Mrs. Burns at the Parish Office. We can offer an alternative to Wednesday evening class if necessary.

**BINGO WORKERS for Tuesday, January 27, Team 4:** Frank Gebosky, Jr., John Frainier, Ed Kosek, Judith Gatz-Mullin, Doris Vojnar, Helen Urbanski, Maria Swieton, Stanislaw Bobek, Emily Kosek and Janina Kowalik.

**Contribution Reports for 2014** are now available. Please call 237-5151 ext. 3 and leave your name and envelope number, and state whether you are stopping by the Parish Office between 10am and 3pm to pick up your report or you would like to have the report mailed to you.

**Valentine's Day Dinner Dance** will be held on Saturday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, at 7am in the Church Hall. Music by Fantazja. Cost is \$30 per person and includes the dinner and the dance. For reservation, which must be paid in full by February 9<sup>th</sup>, call Marta Momot at 528-6992, Marzanna Zielinski at 944-7600 or Henryk Mazur at 928-4650.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Rosary & Novena	Tuesday, 6:30pm
Faith Formation	Wednesday, 6pm-8:15pm
Polish Classes	Mon. & Thurs. 6pm; Sat. 9am
Spaghetti Dinner	January 24, 4pm-7pm
Social Hour Weekend	February 7 & 8
Valentine's Dinner Dance	February 14, 7pm



#### 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



**SPECIAL PROJECTS:** Stanley Darwak \$500. In memory of †*Josephine Buszuwski* from Mary and James Buszuwski \$250, William Allendorph \$100, Sophie Astemborski \$100, Anne Astemborski \$50, Lorraine Astemborski \$50, Marion Jaffarian \$50, Stanley and Joan Kosek \$50, Michael and Luann Parker \$50, Anthony Karwiel \$30, Jean Johnson \$25, Joseph and Michelle Kosek \$25, R. A. Brown \$10. **THANK YOU!**

**SOCIAL HOURS:** Our first 2015 Social Gathering will be held on February 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> following each Mass. We invite all of our talented bakers to share their favorite sweets with our parish family. All are welcomed to join us for coffee, pastries and companionship. Our Hostesses appreciate all the help and support they receive. Thank you!!

**FOOD PANTRY:** This week the food pantry is in need of spaghetti sauce, rice, tuna and canned meats. Thank you for your generosity.

### NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

**Christian Brothers Academy** on Airline Drive in Albany will hold their **Entrance Exam** on Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 8am. There is no fee to take the exam and breakfast will be served. There will also be parent presentations. For more information, contact Brian O'Connell, Director of Admissions, at [occonnell@cbaalbany.org](mailto:occonnell@cbaalbany.org) or 452-9809 ext 105.

**St. Mary's School of Waterford** is holding its **Annual Open House** for those interested in exploring Catholic Education. Small class sizes and a challenging academic program are just a few of the reasons parents choose St. Mary's. Join us on Sunday, January 25<sup>th</sup> from 11:45am to 1:30pm to tour the facility and meet the faculty. Visit us at [smswaterford.org](http://smswaterford.org) to learn more.

The **Sisters of St. Joseph** have a program called **Sisters Care**. This program allows senior members of our parish to remain in their own homes by providing Sisters who will give some help with daily activities. For more information, interested persons should call Sister Claudette, Coordinator, at 783-4578.

**BULLETIN:** The deadline for information (in writing) to be in the bulletin is Monday before 11am.