

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:

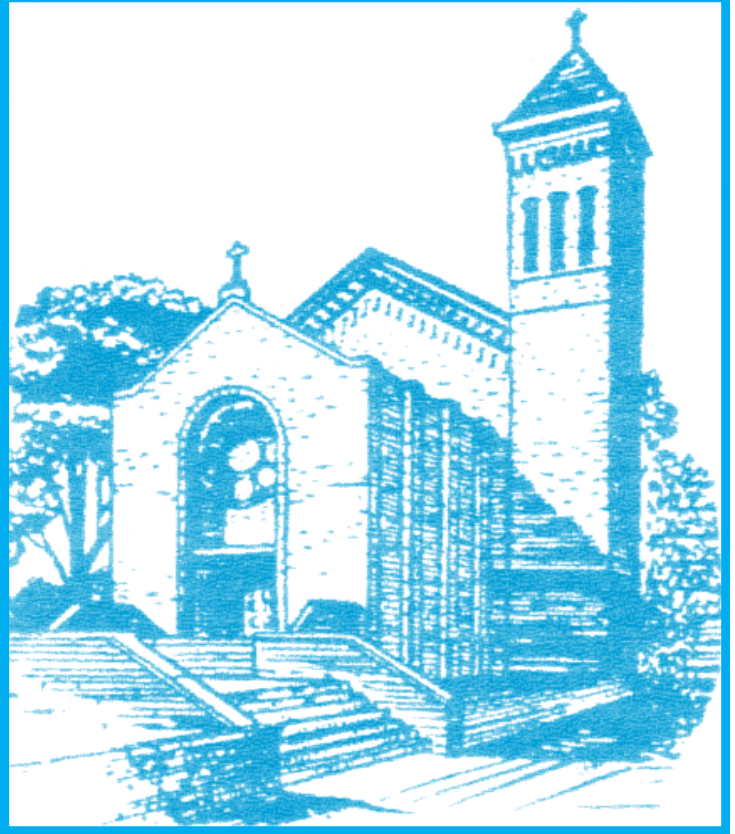
By examining, studying and capturing the history of the men and women, religious and lay, who established, nurtured and built it and all of its facets;

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.



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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)

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

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

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.

April 8, 2018

SAVE THE DATE

Bishop Edward Scharfenberger has announced a major event for the Diocese of Albany.

On September 22, 2018, at the Shrine of the North American Martyrs in Auriesville

we will be holding the Hearts Aflame Eucharistic Congress

a "Eucharistic Congress" is a special gathering led by the Bishop focused on our Lord Jesus in the Eucharist.

We will celebrate Mass, host inspirational speakers, have a

Eucharistic procession and offer activities for children.

This is a powerful time of spiritual renewal for our entire Diocese.

This Fall, On September 22, our Bishop asks that the Shrine become a pilgrimage site for Catholics from every corner of our Diocese. Every single Catholic in our Diocese is invited to attend, as well as our non-Catholic friends and family.

So, SAVE THE DATE !

Gather your entire family and friends.

And join us this Fall as we ask the Lord Jesus to set our Hearts Aflame !

St. Michael's Church will be organizing a large group to attend this event.

More details will become available in future announcements.

Depending on the size of our group, we will be making arrangements for travel by bus.

Please contact Kathleen Burns for questions and registration for this event.

518.428.6353 or 518.237.5151.ext 5

SANCTUARY CANDLES

Week of Apr 9th—Apr 15th

CHURCH: In memory of *John Olson*
from Julia & Paul

CHAPEL: In honor of **Father Peter**
from Janet Gorsky



FUNERALS: *Helen Kupiec* passed away last week. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.

Weekly Contributions

March 31 & April 1, 2018	\$7,839.00
Year 2017	\$8,469.50
Easter	\$4,727.00
Holy Land (Good Friday)	\$723.00
Regular Offertory	\$295.00
Parish Support	\$15.00
Easter flowers	\$102.00
Fuel	\$30.00
Church Hall Improvements	\$274.00
Faith Formation	\$616.00
Candles Offerings	\$107.00
Evangelist	\$633.00
Insurance	\$20.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$3.00
Your E-Giving	\$294.00

Liturgical Roles⁺

Weekend of April 14th & 15th, 2018

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
4:00PM	J. Gebosky F. Dudwoire	J. Sliwa K. Baillie-Carter C. Sponable K. Twiss	P. Brehm
9:00AM	P. Colozza K. Garceau	C. Rogowski J. Clairmont J. Frainier E. Kosek, Jr.	J. Harrington
11:00AM	K. Rozycka G. Jurczynska	K. Lopatniuk E. Leoniak B. Jackowska M. Sala	T. Pecak

BAPTISM: We are pleased to announce that Hannah Lee McGuirk, daughter of Michael and Megan McGuirk, was baptized in our Parish on March 17th.

CONGRATULATIONS!

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

**CHURCH HALL IMPROVEMENTS
CEILING & LIGHTING
REPLACEMENT FUND**

**FUNDING REQUIRED TO
EXTINGUISH EXPENDITURES:
\$ 1,914.56**

In memory of *Brennan & Pater families* from Jacqueline & James Brennan, Helena & Roman Wyrwal, Norman Gauthier, Ryszard & Ewa Momot, Mr. & Mrs. Mitchell Jurnak, in memory *Jim Cook* from Mrs. James Cook, in memory of *Eugenia Colaruotolo* from Mary Ellen Abdelnour, Mrs. Joelean Dearstyne, Mrs. Barbara Smith, in memory of *Tadeusz Figiel* from Mr. & Mrs. Darius Figiel, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Czurlanis, Carol & Paul Sponable, in memory of *Frank Castle* from Mrs. Frank Castle, Miss Melissa Wojcik, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Wojcik, Charles Allendorph, Mr. & Mrs. Paul LaCombe.

Thank you!

Social Hour: Please join us for our monthly get together on **April 14 & 15** after each Mass. Please bring your favorite treat to share with fellow parishioners and friends. **Thank you** to all who have participate in our March gathering. Thank you to our Hostesses, their Elf and all who in any way made our Social gathering a happy occasion. See everyone in April.

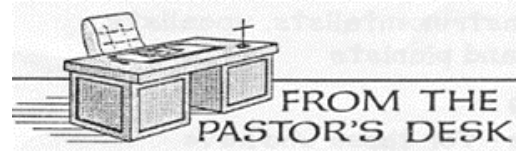
Serdeczne podziękowania dla wszystkich osób, którzy przygotowali smakołyki lub przyczynili się w jakis sposób do naszego wspaniałego spotkania towarzyskiego w marcu. **Dziękujemy** i zapraszamy na spotkanie w kwietniu.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Rosary & Novena Tuesday, 6:30pm
Rosary meeting, Tuesday, April 19
Social hour April 14 & 15

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



**THANK YOU... THE BEAUTY OF OUR CHURCH
TOGETHER WITH THE MEANINGFUL LITURGIES
AND ACTIVITIES OF HOLY WEEK AND EASTER
WERE THE RESOLUTE OF THE COOPERATION
AND EFFORTS OF MANY INDIVIDUALS.
GRATITUDE TO ONE AND ALL!**

BINGO WORKERS for April 10, Team 4: Frank Gebosky, Jr. — Captain, John Frainier, Ed Kosek, Judith Gatzimullin, Doris Vojnar, Tina Kilventon, Maria Swieton, Julia Clairmont, Stanislaw Bobek, Emily Kosek, Teresa Barlik, & Janina Kowalik.

FROM THE ROSARY SOCIETY: Join the ladies for the April 19th meeting. Starts at 6:00 pm in the Church Hall. The weather is turning better; so hope to see all and new members welcome.

FROM YOUR PARISH OFFICE e-Giving – Welcome back to St. Michael's! It's that time of year when many folks are returning from their winter homes or just here visiting family and friends. We depend on your support year round to keep our parish home operating. So now is the perfect time to consider signing up for e-Giving. It's quick and simple and takes less than 5minutes. All you need is an e-mail address and your checking account number or credit card. Just visit our parish website (www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org) to register online. For assistance or further information, contact John Frainier @518 237-5151. May you have a Blessed Easter season.

NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

You are invited to join parishioners of Holy Trinity Parish in Cohoes for a day by the sea in beautiful Mystic CT on Monday, May 21st. We will visit the Mystic Seaport Museum of America and the Sea and wander their recreated 19th Century Seafaring Village with trade shops and businesses from the 1800s that were transported to Mystic Seaport from locations around New England. Bus departs from Holy Trinity at 8AM and departs Mystic at 6PM. Cost including admission to the seaport is \$84. pp and is non refundable unless a replacement is found. Checks should be made payable to Journeys By Julie LLC. Reservations may be made by contacting Julie Carrigan at 518-258-5750 or by email at journeysbyjulie@gmail.com

April 8, 2018

2nd Sunday of Easter

Masses

Apr 7– 15, 2018

Sat., Apr 7	
4:00 p.m.	† <i>Agnes & Thomas Soltys</i> by Jane Geboski & Son † <i>Gary Zandri</i> by Gen & Binky † <i>Francis King</i> by Pat Wilcox † <i>Todd Craven (3rd. Ann)</i> by Bridget & Family † <i>Jack Pyskadlo(1st. Ann)</i> by Family
Sun., Apr 8	
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>John Sloboda</i> by Family † <i>Raffaele Cappabianca</i> by Family
11:00 a.m.	† <i>Mary Chaszczewski</i> by Children † <i>Jan Szozda (13th Ann.)</i> by Sala & Szozda Families † <i>Regina Tokarczyk</i> by Maria Swieton
Mon., Apr 9	The Annunciation of the Lord
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter
Tues., Apr 10	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Andrzej Majewski</i> by friends
Wed., Apr 11	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Henry Kuczynski</i> by children
Thurs. Apr 12	
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Fri., Apr 13	
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Sat., Apr 14	
4:00 p.m.	† <i>Bob Callanan</i> by Mom & Dad † <i>Arthur & Helene Geboskey</i> by Jane Geboski & Son † <i>Gary Gallagher</i> by Rosemary Zandri & Family
Sun., Apr 15	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Paul Bullock</i> by Doris Vojnar † <i>Dean Colozza</i> by Donna Demarse
11:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>Czeslaw Bobek (4th Ann.)</i> by Siostra z Rodzina † <i>Zbyszek Swieton</i> by Kaz † <i>Frances M. King</i> by Pat Wilcox

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St. Michael's

Faith Formation News

Director: Kathy Burns

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

IMPORTANT FAITH FORMATION DATES

Sunday, April 8 – 9am - Children's Liturgy of The Word. This is Divine Mercy Sunday, our focus will be on the Divine Mercy Image.

Sunday, April 15 1 pm-3 pm - Community Service at the Regional Food Bank, Latham.

This is our last visit to the food bank for this year.

Please see Mrs. Burns for sign up and permission slips.

Saturday, April 21 1 pm – 5:45pm – Hot meal cooking and service at United Church of Cohoes.

We will continue this service on the third Saturday of each month over the summer.

Please see Mrs. Burns for sign up information and permission slip.

Saturday, April 28 – 5pm – Souper Saturday movie night returns ! More details to follow.

Monday, April 30 - 6pm – 8pm – Monthly Monday night class. This is the last class until September.

Faith Formation students were on Spring break for April 4th. Normal class schedule will resume on April 11th.

