

# 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:

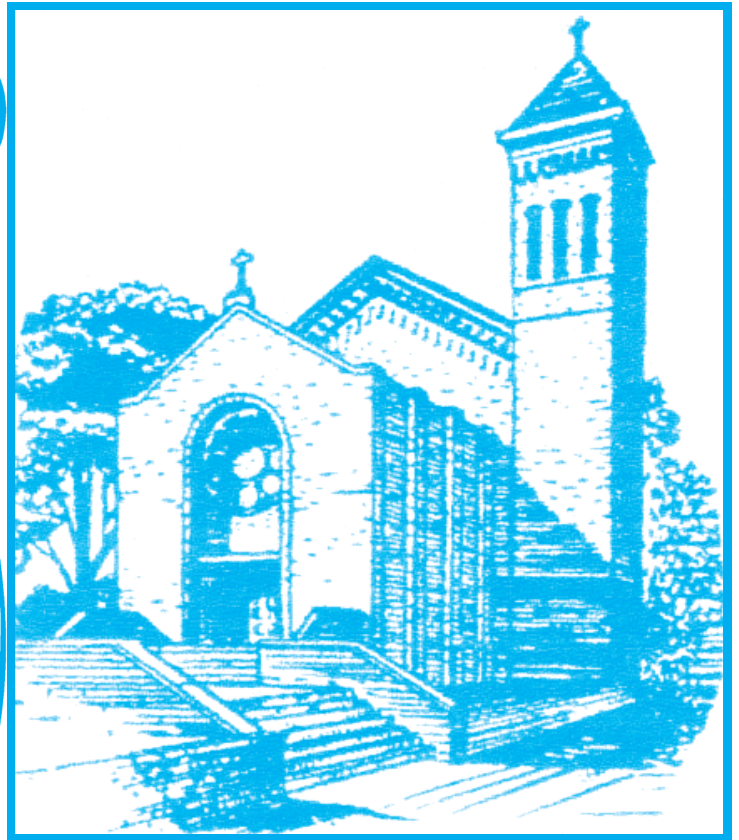
*By examining, studying and capturing the history of the men and women, religious and lay, who established, nurtured and built it and all of its facets;*

## 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)

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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 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: : Tues. - 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

**April 17, 2016**

**Fourth Sunday of Easter  
Masses & Services**

**April 16, 2016 - April 24, 2016**

<b>Apr. 16, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	†Richard Couture (59 <sup>th</sup> Birthday) by his sister Sandie LePage †Bob Callanan by Mom & Dad †Debra Prudhomme by John & Mary Sokolowski †Stanley Darwak by the Bolaski Family
<b>Apr. 17, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter †John Sloboda by his Family †Tracy Kehn by Michelle & John Frainier
11:00 a.m.	†Czesław Bobek (2 <sup>nd</sup> Ann.) by Siostra z Rodziną
<b>Apr. 18, Mon.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	†Francis G. King by his Family †Genevieve Derkowski by St. Michael's Bereavement Ministry
<b>Apr. 19, Tue.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	†James & Andrew Savage by their Family †Antonio Argay by St. Michael's Bereavement Ministry
<b>Apr 20, Wed.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	†Herbert Tkocz by his Family †Francis McClement by St. Michael's Bereavement Ministry
<b>Apr. 21, Thu.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Apr. 22, Fri.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Apr. 23, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	†Warren Fitzgerald by the Bolaski Family †Delores Sponable by Paul & Carol Sponable †Raffaele Cappabianca by his Family †Louise Janowska by her Family †Mr. & Mrs. William Caldwell and Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Hamel by their Family
<b>Apr. 24, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	†John Sloboda by his Family †Mother Angelica by Janet Gorsky
11:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter

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

**Weekly Contributions**

April 9 <sup>th</sup> & April 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2016	\$ 4,370.00
Year 2015	\$ 4,495.08
Parish Support	\$ 924.00
Church Hall Improvements	\$ 351.00
Evangelist	\$ 55.00
15/16 Calamities	\$ 50.00
Candle Offerings	\$ 39.00
Holy Land	\$ 10.00
Easter Vigil, 8:00 PM Mass	\$ 865.00
Easter Sunday, 9:00 AM Mass	\$ 1,221.00
Easter Sunday, 11:00 AM Mass	\$ 718.00
Mail	\$ 197.00

**Weekend of April 23<sup>rd</sup> & April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

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

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
4:00pm	F. Dudwoire A. St. Pierre	N. Signoracci R. Zandri K. Twiss C. Sponable	J. & T. Sliwa
9:00am	C. Rogowski R. Gwozdz	C. Dewey D. Vojnar C. Rogowski R. Kosek	P. Ostiguy
11:00am	J. Zieba G. Jurczynska	D. Rozycki D. Vojnar M. Zielinski I. Pietkiewicz	S. Bobek

**DECEASED:** †Marguerite Grego passed away recently. Please keep her family in your prayers.

**THANK YOU** to Paul Jurak for doing the bulletin inserts last week.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Rosary & Novena	Tuesday, 6:30pm
Polish Classes	Tues. & Thur. 6pm, Sat. 9am
Social Hour Weekend	April 16 & 17
Rosary Meeting	April 21, 6pm
Polish Dinner	May 21, 3pm-7pm



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

**BULLETIN:** The deadline for information (in writing) to be in the bulletin is seven days prior to the publication of the bulletin.

**FAITH FORMATION**

**GRADES 1-5:** Classes will meet next Wednesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 6pm to 7pm in the Parish Center.

**GRADES 6-11:** Classes will meet next Wednesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 7:15pm to 8:15pm in the Parish Center.

**First Eucharist Rehearsals** are Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, at 6pm and Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, at 1:30pm.

**First Eucharist Mass** is Sunday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, at 9am.

**YOUTH MINISTRY CONFERENCE**

The teens in our Faith Formation program have been invited to attend the **St. Isaac Jogues Youth Conference**. They will be gathering with peers from all over the Northeast. This conference is modeled after the World Youth Conference, except instead of Pope Francis we will have Bishop Scharfenberger. The Conference is for 9<sup>th</sup> grade through 12<sup>th</sup> grade and will be held on the campus of St. Ambrose Church in Latham on July 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>. Overnight accommodations will be at The Holiday Inn in Latham. The cost of the Conference including meals, snacks and hotel room is \$200 per person. We have 5 teens interested in attending this conference. I am reaching out to anyone in the Parish who would be willing to sponsor a portion of the cost for a teen to go. Please contact Kathleen Burns, Faith Formation Coordinator, if you can help us defray the cost for our students. I can be contacted at 237-0370 (home), 428-6353 (cell) or 237-5151 ext 5 (office). The goal of this conference is to bring teens into a closer relationship with Christ. They are so excited to go. Thank you for supporting our program.

**Thank you** to Jane Gebosky for sponsoring one teen for the conference, Kazia Lopatniuk for sponsoring one teen for the conference and the Rosary Society for sponsoring two teens for the conference.

**BINGO WORKERS for Tuesday, April 19, Team 5:** Mary Sala, John Sala, Jr., Stanley Szozda, Doris Vojnar, Kazia Lopatniuk, Maria Swieton, Stanislaw Bobek and Madeline Lis.

**ROSARY NEWS**

This is a reminder for all Rosarians that our meetings are held on the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) Thursday of each month at 6pm. Our next **meeting** is Thursday, **April 21<sup>st</sup>** at 6pm. Please plan on attending, as we will be discussing the Polish Dinner to be held in May. Thank you - Maria Swieton, President.

Mark your calendar because the Rosary Society will be hosting our **annual Polish Dinner** on Saturday, **May 21<sup>st</sup>**, from 3pm to 7pm. The dinner will feature all your favorites and tickets will be available at the weekend Masses starting April 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are \$15 per person. For reservations or further information, please contact Maria at 782-1203. Hope you can join us!

**CHURCH HALL IMPROVEMENTS:** Charles Allendorph. Raymond F. Baldowski. M/M Andrew Bania. M/M Edward Barlik in memory of †*Stanisław & Ludwika Barlik*. Theresa Bunk. M/M Kenneth Busta in memory of †*Busta & Wheeler Families*. Mrs. Ralph Cappabianca in memory of †*Raffaele Cappabianca*. M/M Frank Castle. Michael H. Chaszczewski in memory of †*Mary Chaszczewski*. M/M Kazimierz Ciesielczyk in memory of †*David Korczyński*. Julia Clairmont in memory of †*Donald Clairmont*. M/M James Cook. Viola Dalpe. M/M Paul Davey in memory of †*Rehonis & Davey Families*. Joelean Dearstyne. Karol & Sabina Finfando. Martha Fitzgerald. M/M John Frainier in memory of †*McOmber & Frainier Families*. Lorraine Garceau. Mrs. Frank Gebosky. Mary Horner. John Izzo. M/M Kilventon. Joyce & Ronald Kobasa in memory of †*Helnarski Family*. M/M Edward Kosek, Jr. in memory of †*Edward & Josephine Kosek*. Ann Krupski in memory of †*Frank Krupski*. Leslie & Carol Lak. Frank Marro in memory of †*Shirley Marro*. Kazimierz Matala. Sandra McDonald in memory of †*Jim McDonald (6<sup>th</sup> Ann.)*. M/M W. A. Mentrak. Tomasz Metrak. Honorata Momot. M/M Pawel Nowak. M/M Paul Ostiguy. M/M William Pecak. M/M Adam Rogowski. M/M Tomek Rozycki. M/M John Sala in memory of †*deceased members of the Sala & Szozda Families*. M/M Charles Scattergood. Barbara Smith. Carol & Paul Sponable. M/M Albert St. Pierre in memory of †*M/M Albert E. St. Pierre*. Ed & Kathy Twiss in memory of †*Dudek & Twiss Families*. Joel Valentini. Doris Vojnar in memory of †*William S. Vojnar*, †*Doris Vojnar*, †*Jack Vojnar*. M/M Pawel Zieba in memory of †*M/M Alexander Onyszko and †M/M Stanisław Rozycki*. **THANK YOU.**

**NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

**Sage Gators' Spring Break Basketball Camp** for boys ages 7 to 15, will be held April 25<sup>th</sup> through April 29<sup>th</sup> at Sage College of Albany. Register online at [Sagegators.com](http://Sagegators.com) or contact Brian Barnes at 292-1969 or [barneb@sage.edu](mailto:barneb@sage.edu) for more information.

Safety can never be underestimated. Should someone need help in the home or away from home, an emergency alert can secure this help by simply pushing a waterproof button. **St. Peter's Health System** has such a device through **Eddy Health Alert**. For more information, call 833-1040.

**Our Lady Queen of Peace Prayer Group** will sponsor a **Day Of Prayer** on Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, at the Shrine of Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts. Bus will leave Hannaford Shopping Center (corner of Central & Colvin) in Albany at 9am & leave Stockbridge at 4:30pm. Cost is \$22 per person. Bring your own lunch and eat under the tents. The reservation deadline is May 10<sup>th</sup>. Send checks, payable to Our Lady Queen of Peace Prayer Group, to JoAnn DeLisle, 344 Mountain Street, Albany, NY 12209. For more information, call JoAnn at 426-8463 or 322-8254 or Peg Carroll at 869-0568.