

# 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:

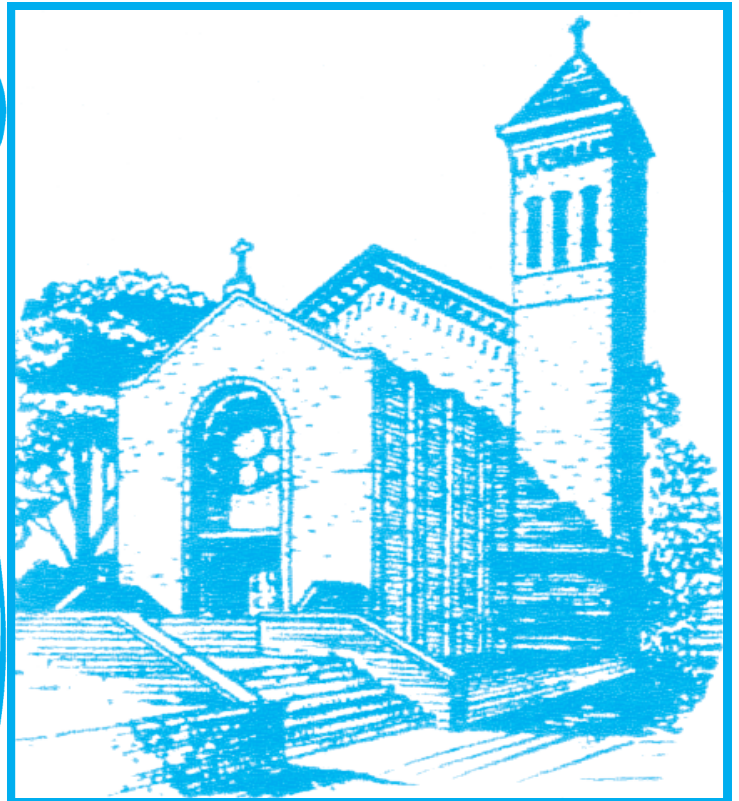
*By examining, studying and capturing the history of the men and women, religious and lay, who established, nurtured and built it and all of its facets;*

## 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: : 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

**April 19, 2015**

**Third Sunday of Easter**

**Masses**

**April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015 - April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

<b>Apr. 18, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	Intention of Parishioners req. by Fr. Peter † <i>Bob Callanan</i> req. by Mom & Dad † <i>Tina Riccio</i> req. by John & Diane Grego † <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Alfred Hamel</i> and † <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. William Caldwell</i> req. by their Children & Grandchildren
<b>Apr. 19, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>John Sloboda</i> req. by his Family Ladies of St. Kateri's Parish Comfort Shawl Ministry req. by Helen Sloboda
11:00 a.m.	† <i>Alouise Reo (7<sup>th</sup> Ann.)</i> req. by Helen Maxwell † <i>Zbigniew Swieton</i> req. by Tadeusz & Aleksandra Pecak
<b>Apr. 20, Mon.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Andrew &amp; James Savage</i> req. by their Family † <i>Maria &amp; Jan Kalina</i> req. by Franciszek & Helina Jucha
<b>Apr. 21, Tue.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Dr. Ryszard Niemczyk</i> req. by Fr. Peter † <i>Civitina Riccio</i> req. by St. Michael's Bereavement Ministry
<b>Apr. 22, Wed.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Rev. Dominic Szabajkiewicz</i> req. by Fr. Peter † <i>Zbigniew Swieton</i> req. by St. Michael's Bereavement Ministry
<b>Apr. 23, Thu.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Holy Trinity Church</b>
<b>Apr. 24, Fri.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Holy Trinity Church</b>
<b>Apr. 25, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	† <i>John Dudek, Jr. (31<sup>st</sup> Ann.)</i> req. by Kathy & Ed Twiss † <i>Warren Fitzgerald</i> req. by the Bolaski Family † <i>Louise Janowska</i> req. by her Family † <i>Delores Sponable</i> req. by Carol & Paul
<b>Apr. 26, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners req. by Fr. Peter † <i>John Sloboda</i> req. by his Family † <i>Julia Partyka</i> req. by Natalie Partyka † <i>Shirley Marro</i> req. by her Husband & Family
11:00 a.m.	† <i>James &amp; Andrew Savage</i> req. by their Family † <i>Zbigniew Swieton</i> req. by Ed & Kathy Kosek

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

**Weekly Contributions**

April 11 <sup>th</sup> & April 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2015	\$ 4,495.08
Year 2014	\$ 3,974.00
Parish Support	\$ 912.00
Easter	\$ 383.08
Candle Offerings	\$ 86.00
Holy Land	\$ 39.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 20.00
Faith Formation	\$ 20.00
Evangelist	\$ 10.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$ 5.00
Saturday, 4:00 PM Mass	\$ 1,138.00
Sunday, 9:00 AM Mass	\$ 1,127.00
Sunday, 11:00 AM Mass	\$ 601.00
Mail	\$ 198.00

**Liturgical Roles**

**Weekend of April 25<sup>th</sup> & April 26<sup>th</sup>**

Mass	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
4:00pm	B.Zychowski E.Twiss	L.Davignon K.Bailie-Carter W.Carter F.Dudwoire	J.Buszta
9:00am	P.Colozza R.Gwozdz	M.Frainier K.Garceau E.Kosek, Jr. R.Kosek	J.Harrington
11:00am	M.Zielinska H.Mazur	M.Sala E.Barlik E.Leoniak I.Pietkiewicz	S.Bobek

**In Sympathy**



**DECEASED:** †*Frances Oliver* and †*Genevieve Bioty* passed away recently. Please keep their families in your prayers.

**SPECIAL PROJECTS:** In memory of †*Zbigniew Swieton* from Edward Brzozowski \$500, Jeanne Steciuk \$50, Mary Horner \$25, Marion Jaffarian \$25, Roseanne Kryjak \$25, Catherine Tuchowski & Daughter \$10. In memory of †*Tina Riccio* from Rosemary & Mike Zandri \$20. Anonymous \$10. **THANK YOU!**



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

**FAITH FORMATION**

**GRADES 1-5:** Classes will meet on Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 6pm to 7pm in the Parish Center.

**GRADES 6-11:** Classes will meet on Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 7:15pm to 8:15pm in the Parish Center.

**Rehearsal for Confirmation** will be held on Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>, at 1:30pm at The Cathedral. Candidates, please bring your sponsor.

**Confirmation Liturgy** will be held on Tuesday, April 28<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm at the Cathedral in Albany. Please arrive by 6:15pm for best parking and seating.

**Rehearsal for First Eucharist Liturgy** will be Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, at 6pm in Church and again on Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 1:30pm.

**First Eucharist Liturgy** will be celebrated on Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, at the 9am Mass with a reception to follow in the Church Hall.

**Registration for Faith Formation** will begin on June 1<sup>st</sup> and continue throughout the summer. Please call Kathleen Burns at 237-5151 ext. 5 or 237-0370 with any questions.



**EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS:** Mr. & Mrs. Edward Jarosz \$50; In memory of †*Marois & Minko Families* by Marjorie Marois \$10; In memory of †*parents Mary & Michael Ksenich* by Mary Pyskadlo \$5; In memory of †*Anne Valentini, †Deno Valentini* by Joel Valentini \$5. **THANK YOU!**

**BINGO WORKERS for Tuesday, April 21, Team 5:** Mary Sala, Helen Sagan, John Sala, Jr., Stanley Szozda, Doris Vojnar, Kazia Lopatniuk, Helen Urbanski, Maria Swieton, Stanislaw Bobek & Madeline Lis.

**THANK YOU** to everyone who gave of their time and effort to make the April social hours so pleasant. There will be no social hours in May due to Mother's Day. The next social hour weekend will be June 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>.

**FOOD PANTRY:** This week the food pantry is in need of toilet paper, laundry detergent and coffee. Thank you for your generosity.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Rosary & Novena	Tuesday, 6:30pm
Faith Formation	Wednesday, 6pm-8:15pm
Polish Classes	Mon. & Thurs. 6pm; Sat. 9am
Rosary Meeting	April 16, 6pm
Social Hour Weekend	June 6 & 7



**Keep the Legacy Alive**  
Please remember St. Michael's in your will  
St. Michael the Archangel R. C. Church  
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**NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

The **PNA/ST. Joseph Society** will hold their **monthly meeting** on Thursday April 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 6pm at the PAA Club on Willow St., Cohoes. All members are urged to attend. Refreshments and pizza will be served after the meeting.

**KEEPING THE FAITH IN MIND:** William Hinrichs, Director of Programs and Service of the Alzheimer's Association of Northeastern New York will be discussing dementia and embracing the individual's faith and spirituality at the Holy Trinity Parish Center on Thursday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 12 noon. You may bring your lunch; beverages and deserts will be provided. To register, please contact Tonya Garmley at 867-4999, ext. 200 or [tgarmlet@alz.org](mailto:tgarmlet@alz.org).

**SPRING ENRICHMENT 2015:** The 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Spring Enrichment will be held at the College of St. Rose in Albany from Monday, May 11<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup> and new this year, at St. Mary's in Oneonta on Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>. The theme of this year's Spring Enrichment is "The Church: our Family, our Story". For more information, visit [www.rcda.org/springenrichment](http://www.rcda.org/springenrichment).

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT:** Hurting from an abortion? Experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on a Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat, May 29<sup>th</sup> through May 31<sup>st</sup>, at the Carondelet Hospitality Center in Latham. The weekend will combine discussions, spiritual exercises, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, a Memorial Service and a Mass of Entrustment. Participation is strictly confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness and compassion. The cost is \$190 and some financial assistance is available. For more information or to register, please contact Pat Mousaw at 518-222-1160, Kathy Whimple at 518-469-0779, Kathy Kelly at 802-282-2028, Denise Freeman at 607-353-0039 or e-mail [rachelsvineyardalbany@yahoo.com](mailto:rachelsvineyardalbany@yahoo.com). For a complete listing of future retreat dates and their locations visit the Rachel's Vineyard website [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org) or call 1-877-HOPE-4-ME.

**DIANE BISH, WORLD CLASS ORGANIST:** Church of the Immaculate Conception, 400 Saratoga Rd. in Glenville, will showcase their new Allen organ on Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 3pm at a concert featuring the many talents of Diane Bish, world class organist. Diane Bish, organist and entertainer, is the most visible and influential classical organist performing today. Concert and recording artist, composer, conductor, and international television personality (EWTN's Joy of Music), Diane Bish displays her dazzling virtuosity and unique showmanship the world over to international acclaim. \$20 Suggested Donation. Join us for this spectacular event! For details, call 399-9168 or visit [www.icglenville.com](http://www.icglenville.com).

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