

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:

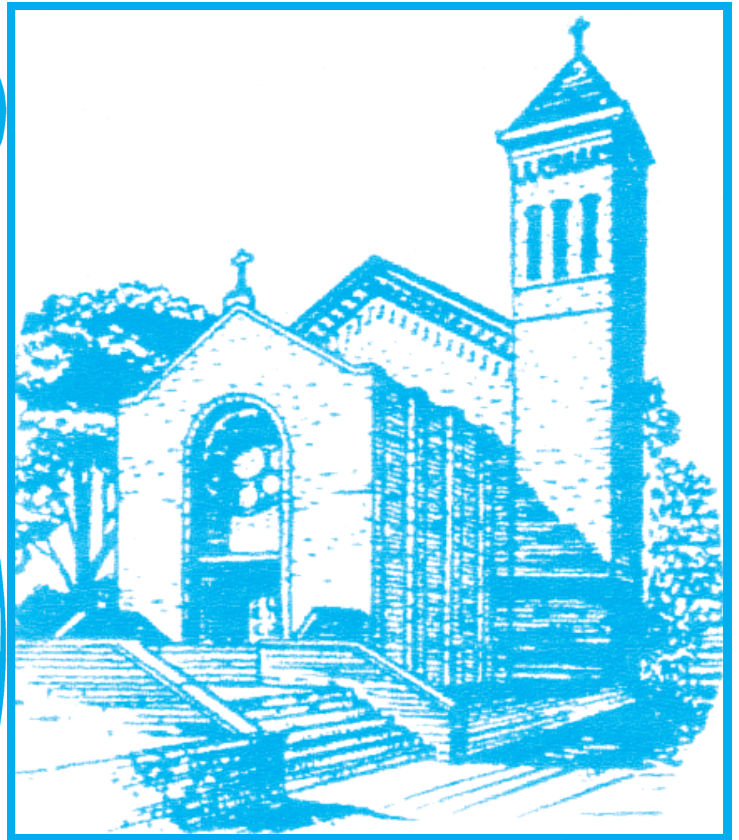
By examining, studying and capturing the history of the men and women, religious and lay, who established, nurtured and built it and all of its facets;

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

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

Web site: www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Church Hall: (518) 237-7121

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

April 24, 2016

**Fifth Sunday of Easter
Masses**

April 23, 2016 - May 1, 2016

Apr. 23, Sat.	
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
Apr. 24, Sun.	
9:00 a.m.	†John Sloboda by his Family †Mother Angelica by Janet Gorsky
11:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter
Apr. 25, Mon.	
9:00 a.m.	†Francis M. King by his Family †Shirley Marro (4 th Ann.) by her husband Frank †Frances Novojosky by St. Michael's Bereavement Ministry
Apr. 26, Tue.	
9:00 a.m.	†James & Andrew Savage by their Family
Apr 27, Wed.	
9:00 a.m.	†Anna Franz by her Family †Noreen Tansky by Pat Wilcox
Apr. 28, Thu.	
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Apr. 29, Fri.	
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Apr. 30, Sat.	
4:00 p.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter †John Dudek (32 nd Ann.) by Kathy & Ed Twiss †Debra Prudhomme by Kathy & Ed Twiss †Donald Burns by the Bolaski Family †Anthony Riccio by Rosemary & Mike Zandri †Frank Krupski (Birthday & 66 th Wedding Ann.) by his Wife & Family
May 1, Sun.	
9:00 a.m.	†John Sloboda by his Family †Julia Partyka by her Family †Marie Kramarz by Matt Smith †Theresa M. Benamati by her Husband †Barney Lis by his Family
11:00 a.m.	†Teresa Klebieko by Siostra z Rodziną †William J. Mickiewicz by his Family

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

Weekly Contributions

April 16 th & April 17 th , 2016	\$ 3,410.47
Year 2015	\$ 3,025.00
Church Hall Improvements	\$ 270.00
Parish Support	\$ 85.00
Candle Offerings	\$ 64.00
Easter	\$ 55.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 55.00
Evangelist	\$ 32.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$ 10.00
Holy Land	\$ 10.00
Easter Vigil, 8:00 PM Mass	\$ 1,105.47
Easter Sunday, 9:00 AM Mass	\$ 786.00
Easter Sunday, 11:00 AM Mass	\$ 673.00
Mail	\$ 285.00

Weekend of April 30th & May 1st, 2016

Liturgical Roles*

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
4:00pm	J. Gebosky M. Horner	B. Brehm K. Twiss T. Czurlanis J. Sliwa	M. Chaszczewski
9:00am	J. Frainier E. Kosek, III	K. Garceau K. Kosek J. Cook E. Kosek, Jr.	J. Harrington
11:00am	A. Barnas B. Mazur	K. Lopatniuk E. Barlik E. Leoniak I. Pietkiewicz	E. Brewka

SPECIAL PROJECT: In honor of Calvin's baptism from Rebecca Zoracki \$150. In memory of †Marge Grego from Doris Vojnar \$30. **THANK YOU!**

BAPTISM: We are pleased to announce that Calvin Michael, son of Rebecca & Allen Zoracki, was baptized in our Parish on April 16th. Congratulations!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Rosary & Novena	Tuesday, 6:30pm
Polish Classes	Tues. & Thur. 6pm, Sat. 9am
Social Hour Weekend	May 14 & 15
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.



GRADES 1-5: There will be no classes on April 20th. Classes will resume on May 4th, 6pm to 7pm in the Parish Center.

GRADES 6-11: There will be no classes on April 20th. Classes will resume on May 4th, 7:15pm to 8:15pm in the Parish Center.

First Eucharist Rehearsals are Wednesday, May 4th, at 6pm and Saturday, May 7th, at 1:30pm.

First Eucharist Mass is Sunday, May 8th, 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 9th grade through 12th grade and will be held on the campus of St. Ambrose Church in Latham on July 15th, 16th & 17th. 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.

BINGO WORKERS for Tuesday, April 26, Team 1: Doris Vojnar, Jean Johnson, Jack and Nancy Jones, Jane Gebosky, Grazyna Jurczynski, Maria Swieton, Eric Johnson, Jane Leoniak and Barbara Brewka.

SOCIAL HOUR: Thank you to everyone who gave of their time and effort to make the March social hours so pleasant. The next social hour weekend will be May 14th & 15th.



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

EASTER FLOWERS EXPENSES: The cost of the Easter Flowers this year was \$2,646.50 and to date our donations total \$1,921.00. If anyone still wishes to contribute "in memory of" or "in honor of" loved ones, envelopes are available in the back of the Church. Any donation will be greatly appreciated. Thank you to those who have already contributed.

EASTER FLOWERS DONATIONS: Antonia Cappabianca in memory of †*Raffaele Cappabianca* \$50. Janet Gorsky \$50. Phil LaValley. **THANK YOU!**

CHURCH HALL IMPROVEMENTS: Therese Blizniak in memory of †*Grandparents*. Jacqueline A. Bolaski in memory of †*Moquin & Bolaski Families*, †*Rev. Richard Dybas*. M/M James T. Brennan in memory of †*the Pater & Brennan Families*. Frank & Doris Colaruotolo in memory of †*Colaruotolo & Mencarelli Families*. Debra Donohue. M/M Zygmunt Figiel in memory of †*M/M Zygmunt Figiel*. Norman Gauthier. Janet Gorsky in memory of †*Thomas & Stacia Gorsky*. M/M Paul LaCombe. Tony & Sandy LePage in memory of †*Florence Giles*. M/M Walter Lipka. M/M Jan Lopatniuk. Wladyslaw Lubowski. M/M Michael Nyman. Maria Swieton in memory of †*Swiętoń & Bobek Family*. Joel Valentini. **THANK YOU!**



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

NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Our Lady Queen of Peace Prayer Group will sponsor a **Day Of Prayer** on Thursday, May 12th, 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 10th. 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.

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