

# 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

**August 30, 2015**

**22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Masses**

**August 29<sup>th</sup>, 2015 - September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

<b>Aug. 29, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	† <i>Kathleen Whalen</i> req. by Betty & Andrew Zychowski
<b>Aug. 30, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners req. by Fr. Peter † <i>John Sloboda</i> req. by his Family † <i>Dolores Minko (3<sup>rd</sup> Ann.)</i> req. by Marjorie Marois † <i>Ralph Cappabianca</i> req. by Ed & Kathy Twiss
11:00 a.m.	† <i>Eugene Duda</i> req. by his Wife & Children † <i>Zbigniew Swieton</i> req. by Maria & Bill Pecak † <i>Donna Duda</i> by req. Pawel Swieton z Rodziną † <i>Jan Bobek</i> req. by the Barlik Family
<b>Aug. 31, Mon.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Church of Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Sep. 1, Tue.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Church of Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Sep. 2, Wed.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Church of Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Sep. 3, Thu.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Church of Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Sep. 4, Fri.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	<b>Mass at Church of Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Sep. 5, Sat.</b>	
4:00 p.m.	† <i>Frances Krupski Oliver</i> req. by Mike Chaszczewski † <i>Raffaele Cappabianca</i> req. by Antonia Cappabianca
<b>Sep. 6, Sun.</b>	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>John Sloboda (Wedding Ann.)</i> req. by his Family † <i>John Samaniuk</i> by req. his Wife & Family † <i>Edwin &amp; Genevieve Wonchnicki</i> req. by their Daughter † <i>Charles Colaruotolo (1<sup>st</sup> Ann.)</i> req. by Mary-Anne & Family
11:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners req. by Fr. Peter † <i>Sylvia &amp; Stanley Lubowski</i> req. by her Husband and his Brother † <i>Zbigniew Swieton</i> req. by John & Diane Grego † <i>Danuta (Donna) Duda</i> req. by Kazik Matala † <i>Jan Bobek</i> req. by Ed & Kathy Twiss

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

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

**Weekly Contributions**

August 22 <sup>nd</sup> & August 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2015	\$ 2,308.88
Year 2014	\$ 2,923.00
Religious Assistance to Poland	\$ 587.55
Candle Offerings	\$ 61.00
Assumption	\$ 15.00
Catholic Home Missions Appeal	\$ 15.00
Saturday, 4:00 PM Mass	\$ 891.00
Sunday, 9:00 AM Mass	\$ 808.00
Sunday, 11:00 AM Mass	\$ 437.88
Mail	\$ 96.00

**Weekend of September 5<sup>th</sup> & September 6<sup>th</sup>**

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

Mass	Lectors	Extraordinary	Sacristans
4:00pm	J.Gebosky M.Horner	B.Brehm N.Signoracci R.Zandri T.Czurlanis	J.Buszta
9:00am	J.Frainier P.Ostiguy	K.Kosek D.Vojnar J.Cook D.Partyka	K.Garceau
11:00am	G.Jurczymaska W.Lubowski	K.Lopatniuk E.Barlik E.Loniak I.Pietkiewicz	T.Pecak

**SPECIAL PROJECTS:** In memory of †*Jan Bobek* from Doris Vojnar \$20. In memory of †*Raffaele Cappabianca* from Mary Savage \$20. **THANK YOU!**

**FATHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCE:** Mr. & Mrs. John Krawiec \$5. **THANK YOU!**

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Rosary & Novena	Tuesday, 6:30pm
Social Hour Weekend	September 12 & 13
Rosary Meeting	September 17, 6pm
Dance Party	September 19
Polish School Registration	throughout the summer



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



**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

**August 30, 2015**



**BISHOP'S APPEAL 2015**

**Simple Act of Profound Impact**

**Number of gifts received: 105**

**Paid now: \$ 14,221.75**

**Number of pledges received: 33**

**Pledged amount: \$ 7,619.00**

**Parish assessment: \$ 50,669.00**

**Envelopes are available in the back of the Church**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

**FAITH FORMATION**

**Registrations for Faith Formation** are now being accepted and will continue throughout the summer. Please call Kathleen Burns at 237-5151 ext. 5 or 237-0370, if you have any questions.

**Saint Michael's Parish** has offered to be a **Sponsor for the Personal Care Drive For Catholic Charities** for the month of October. This drive helps folks who have HIV/Aids and other Chronic Illnesses who Catholic Charities helps through their expanded Medicaid intensive case management services. Items they are in most need are: laundry detergent, dish soap, household cleaning products; personal hygiene products (soaps, shampoo, deodorant, shaving items); paper products (bath tissue, tissues, paper towels); sheets (full & twin) and bath towels. Anything you can donate will be appreciated. Please drop your donations in the box labeled "Personal Care Drive for Catholic Charities" in the back of the church during the month of October. If you have any questions, please call Kathy Kosek at 785-1674 or Pat Harrington at 237-5158.

**SOCIAL HOUR WEEKEND:** Once again we will be having our Social Hour get-togethers beginning September 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> following each Mass. As in the past please bring your favorite dish or treat to share with fellow parishioners. All are welcome.

**ROSARY NEWS:** Our next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, at 6pm. Many events will be discussed, especially our upcoming "Basket Bingo". Please plan on attending.

**BINGO WORKERS for Tuesday, September 1, Team 5:** Frank Gebosky, Jr., John Frainier, Ed Kosek, Judith Gatz-Mullin, Doris Vojnar, Helen Urbanski, Maria Swieton, Stanislaw Bobek, Emily Kosek and Janina Kowalik.

**POLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES:** We are accepting fall semester registrations. We offer classes for beginner, advanced adults & children (5 years & older). Classes are held evenings and/or Saturday morning for children. The fall semester will start the week of September 14<sup>th</sup>. All interested in learning the Polish language or having their children and/or grandchildren learn the language, please call 588-0977 for more information or visit [www.stmichaelscohoes.org](http://www.stmichaelscohoes.org).

**DANCE PARTY:** Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm in St. Michael's Church Hall. Music by Windstar Band. Tickets are \$30 per person & includes dinner and dance. Reservations must be made & paid in full by September 13<sup>th</sup>. For tickets, call Marta Momot 528-6992, Marzanna Zielinski 944-7600 or Henryk Mazur 928-4650.

**Super Raffle:** There is still time to purchase Super Raffle Tickets. After 6 Weeks total number sold is 64. Thanks to those who have purchase these tickets. Remember that tickets will be sold before and after each Mass until November 8<sup>th</sup>.

**THANK YOU!!** Special thanks to Kayla Kilventon & Madison Robinson for your assistance in presenting gifts to Bishop Scharfenberger at the Annual Polish Day at the Shrine of the North American Martyrs on Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>. Thank you to the families for bringing our young ladies to the Mass. Kayla & Madison looked beautiful dressed in the traditional Polish costumes, complements of Mrs. Brzozowska. Thank you all for a job well done. With sincere appreciation, Kazia Lopatniuk



*Welcome to Our Parish*

We are pleased to announce that Susan Redmond of Saratoga Avenue in Waterford has joined our Parish.

**Welcome to St. Michael's!**

**NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

**Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat** is hosting a **Women's Breakfast** on Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, 9am-12pm at the St. Ambrose Parish Center, Latham. Tickets are \$20; Clergy & Religious - free. The guest speaker is Bishop Edward Scharfenberger. Register September 9<sup>th</sup> by send a check for \$20 payable to Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat, PO Box 340, Clifton Park, NY, 12065. Please include your name, address, phone number & email. Questions, call Heather at 877-8034.

**ST. JOSEPH CHURCH IN TROY MOB MASS!** All are invited to join the St. Joseph Community on Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, for a special Mass at 4pm. Come enjoy a wonderful liturgical experience led by the Carmelite Friars in the beautiful 1847 church, surrounded by breath taking Tiffany Windows and their Grand Organ for a Mass filled with family and friends. For more information contact the Priory Office at 274-6720.

**Eucharistic Procession for the Feast of the Exultation of the Holy Cross:** Join Schenectady churches on Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, for the 4<sup>th</sup> Eucharistic Procession as we pray for religious liberty & the end of abortion. Procession begins at 3pm from St. Luke's Church, Schenectady. Questions, contact Viviane at 384-0699 or [vivianestrain@yahoo.com](mailto:vivianestrain@yahoo.com).

**Sage Boys' Basketball Columbus Day Skills Clinic:** October 12<sup>th</sup>. Ages 10-17. Download brochures at [Sagegators.com](http://Sagegators.com). Please contact Brian Barnes at 292-1969 or by email [barneb@sage.edu](mailto:barneb@sage.edu) for more information. Early registration discount and free early drop off and late pick up available.