

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

Web site: www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Church Hall: (518) 237-7121

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

October 25, 2015

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Masses

October 24th - November 1st, 2015

Oct. 24, Sat.	
4:00 p.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>Beatrice Ouimette</i> by Gen & Bink † <i>Michael & Stefania Dzialo</i> by Jane Gebosky & Son † <i>Raffaele Cappabianca</i> by his Family Special Intention for Helen by her Family
Oct. 25, Sun.	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>William F. Daley (41st Ann.)</i> by his Family † <i>John Sloboda</i> by his Family † <i>Monica & Anna Nowaczyk</i> by their Niece † <i>Cecilia & Raffaele Cappabianca</i> by Antonia Cappabianca † <i>Gary McIntire</i> by Uncle John & Aunt Pat Harrington
11:00 a.m.	† <i>Zbigniew Swieton</i> by Członkowie Polskiego Chóru † <i>Danuta Duda</i> by Władysław Lubowski † <i>Frances Krupski Oliver</i> by Helen Maxwell † <i>Jan Bobek</i> by Walter & Harriet Brzozowski † <i>Maria & Edward Gosztyla</i> by Czesław Pecak
Oct. 26, Mon.	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>Scott Bracken</i> by his Family
Oct. 27, Tue.	
9:00 a.m.	† <i>James & Andrew Savage</i> by their Family
Oct. 28, Wed.	
9:00 a.m.	Living & † <i>Deceased Members of the Family</i> by Fr. Peter
Oct. 29, Thu.	
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Oct. 30, Fri.	
9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity
Oct. 31, Sat.	VIGIL OF ALL SAINTS
4:00 p.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>Mary & Anthony Zandri</i> by their Family † <i>Danuta (Donna) Duda</i> by Mike Chaszczewski
Nov. 1, Sun.	ALL SAINTS
9:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>John Sloboda</i> by his Family † <i>Stasia Ardziejewicz (19th Ann.)</i> by her Family † <i>Thomas & Stacia Gorsky</i> by their Children † <i>Raffaele Cappabianca</i> by his Family † <i>Anne & Joe Mnich</i> by their Daughter
11:00 a.m.	Intention of Parishioners by Fr. Peter † <i>Janina Matafa</i> by Maz i Dzieci † <i>Zbigniew Swieton</i> by Teresa & Edward Barlik † <i>Fr. Richard Dybas</i> by the Lopatniuk Family

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

October 17 th & October 18 th , 2015	\$ 3,273.00
Year 2014	\$ 3,241.65
World Mission Sunday	\$ 674.00
Candle Offerings	\$ 63.00
Evangelist	\$ 58.00
All Souls	\$ 30.00
Insurance	\$ 25.00
Parish Support	\$ 20.00
All Saints	\$ 10.00
Assumption	\$ 10.00
Catholic University	\$ 10.00
Saturday, 4:00 PM Mass	\$ 1,110.00
Sunday, 9:00 AM Mass	\$ 1,049.00
Sunday, 11:00 AM Mass	\$ 583.00
Mail	\$ 315.00

Weekend of October 31st & November 1st

Liturgical Roles⁺

Mass	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
4:00pm	B.Zychowski F.Dudwoire	J.Gebosky K.Twiss R.Zandri B.Brehm	J.&T.Sliwa
9:00am	M.Marois K.Garceau	K.Garceau D.Partyka D.Vojnar K.Kosek	K.Garceau
11:00am	A.Brewka A.Barnas	M.Sala E.Barlik M.Zielinski I.Pietkiewicz	T.Pecak

SPECIAL PROJECTS: In memory of †*Edward & Maria Gosztyla* from Czesław Pecak \$1,000. In memory of †*James & Andrew Savage* from their Family \$30. **THANK YOU.**

SUPER RAFFLE: There is still time to purchase Super Raffle Tickets. Thanks to all who have purchased tickets. Remember, tickets will be sold before & after each Mass until November 8th.

BINGO WORKERS for Tuesday, October 27, Team 2: Janina Wiercioch, Marian Wiercioch, Leona Kimball, Doris Vojnar, Marge Marois, Helen Urbanski, Maria Swieton, Stanislaw Bobek, Jayne Galarneau and Grazyna Jurczynski.



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



BISHOP'S APPEAL 2015

Simple Act of Profound Impact

Number of gifts received: 129

Paid now: \$ 16,076.75

Number of pledges received: 33

Pledged amount: \$ 7,619.00

Parish assessment: \$ 50,669.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Faith Formation

GRADES 1-5: Classes will meet next Wednesday, October 28th, from 6pm to 7pm in the Parish Center.

GRADES 6-11: Classes will meet next Wednesday, October 28th, from 7:15pm to 8:15pm in the Parish Center.

The next **Children's Liturgy of the Word** will be held Sunday, November 8th, at the 9am Mass. All are welcome to come and celebrate with us.

The **Frassati Chapter** visited our teens in Faith Formation on Wednesday, October 21st. They presented information about their patron Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati and the mission of their group.

The teens in **Youth Ministry** will be packing food donations at **The Regional Food Bank** in Latham on Sunday, November 1st, from 1pm to 3pm. Anyone wishing to join us, should contact Kathy Burns at 237-0370(home), 428-6353(cell) or 237-5151x5 (office). We always have a great experience!

We are in need of a **volunteer** to help **monitor the halls and driveway** on Wednesday evenings from 6pm to 8:15pm. Please contact Kathy Burns at 237-0370(home), 428-6353(cell) or 237-5151x5(office) if you are interested.

Thank you to Anne Macey & Rob Hebert at Home Depot in Latham for building & donating three benches for our classroom. The children love them! **Thank you to Mark Colozza** and **Cohoes Carpet Center** for a donation to purchase adult / teen Faith Formation materials. **Thank you to Doris Vojnar** for our new outdoor lighting. **Thank you to Janet Gorsky** for her donation of pencils for our children.

Personal Care Drive For Catholic Charities: 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 & other Chronic Illnesses who Catholic Charities helps through their expanded Medicaid intensive case management services. Items they are in most need of 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, call Kathy Kosek at 785-1674 or Pat Harrington at 237-5158.

BASKET BINGO PARISH FUNDRAISER: We have received some beautiful baskets and gift cards from our parishioners so far, and we want to thank you so much for your donation. We still need cash donations for our basket bingo from our rosary members and parishioners. This money will go towards the cost of food to be offered that day and bingo supplies. Please try to attend this function if possible. If it is not possible to attend, please donate because the amount received will go towards the profit that this fundraiser brings in. Also, please bring in either cupcakes, brownies, or cookies to be sold that day as deserts. The money received from these baked goods will go toward the profit we make also. Thank you so much for helping. If you have any questions, please contact Kathy Twiss at 235-5286 or Michelle Frainier at 235-3292.

ROSARY NEWS: Our next monthly meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 19th, at 6pm. Please plan on attending. At our meeting, dues for 2016 will be collected by our Treasurer. Dues are still \$5 per year. What a bargain!! If you are unable to attend the meeting, please mail your dues to the parish office, attention Donna Partyka, Treasurer.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Rosary & Novena	Tuesday, 6:30pm
Polish Classes	Tues. & Thur. 6pm, Sat. 9am
Basket Bingo	November 1, 1pm
Bereavement Mass	November 2, 6pm
Social Hour Weekend	November 7 & 8
Children's Liturgy of the Word	November 8, 9am Mass
Rosary Meeting	November 19, 6pm

NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Schenectady County Right to Life will host a banquet & silent auction on Tuesday, October 27th, at 5pm at the Glen Sanders Mansion. The guest speaker is Nora Flores. Registration is \$40. For reservations, contact Betty Bergin at 393-3007 or 526-3895.

Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat is hosting a **Women's Breakfast** on Saturday, November 14th, 9am-12pm at The Vista Restaurant at Van Patten Golf Club, in Clifton Park. Tickets are \$20; Clergy & Religious-free. Guest speaker is Dona Fragnoli. Register by November 4th by sending 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.

At the request of Holy Trinity Parish and the Chancery Office, **Albany Diocesan Cemeteries** has assumed responsibility for the **management of St. Joseph Cemetery** in Waterford. Albany Diocesan Cemeteries conducts two general cleanups a year; on or about November 1st & April 1st. Lot owners are requested to remove any decorations they wish to save before these dates. During cleanups, cemetery staff removes & discards all items from the cemetery.

Festival of Nations at the Empire State Plaza Convention Center on Sunday, October 25th, 11:30am-5pm. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$2 for children 3-12. Come & visit our Polish booth. Bring this bulletin and receive \$1 off of our Polish Platter.