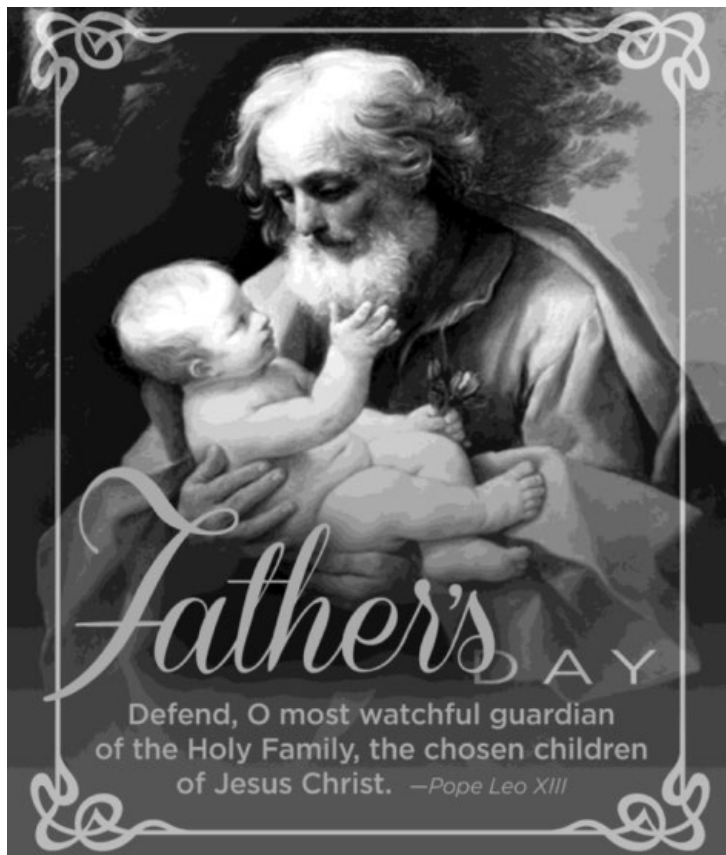


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20 Page Avenue ~ Cohoes, N.Y. 12047

June 18, 2023



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MASS SCHEDULE:

Daily Eucharist: as stated in the bulletin

Lord's Day Eucharist:

Sunday: 9:00 am (English)

2nd & 4th Sunday of the month – some Polish

Eve. of Holy Days – Consult Bulletin

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

By appointment – call the Parish Office (518) 237-5151.

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 or e-giving. New members need to register as soon as possible. All address changes should be given to the Parish Office.

PARISH STAFF:

Very Rev. Donald Rutherford	Co-Pastor
Rev. Brian Kelly	Co-Pastor
Rev. Samuel Bellafiore	Parochial Vicar
Kathleen Burns, Faith Formation: (518) 428-6353	

CONTACT: Parish Office: (518) 237-5151

Off. hrs.: Mon. & Th. 9:30 to noon, Tu. & Wed. 9:30am-2pm

Church Hall: (518) 237-7121

E-mail address: info@stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Website: www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Bulletin: bulletin@stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Cemetery: cemetery@stmichaelsofcohoes.org

Church open hours: Mon. 8:30am-10am, Wed. 8:30am-10am,

Sun. 8am-10:30am (closed Tu., Th., Fri., & Sat.)

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



HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND: If you are unable to attend Mass and would like to have communion brought to you at your home, call John Harrington at (518) 237-5158.



SANCTUARY CANDLES

Week of June 19 – June 25

CHURCH:

Main Altar (tabernacle):
People of the Parish.

Sacred Heart (side altar):
In memory of †*Frank J. Gebosky*
by Jane & Franky.

Blessed Mother (side altar):
People of the Parish.

While HOLY TRINITY is undergoing sanctuary repair work, there is no daily Mass and the Church is locked. They're not sure how long the work will take – at least two weeks. Here are other Churches with daily Mass:

Tuesdays:

9 AM Mass at IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
12:10 PM Mass at ST. AMBROSE

Thursdays:

9 AM Mass at IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
12:10 PM Mass at ST. AMBROSE

Fridays:

8:30 AM Mass at ST. AUGUSTINE'S

Parish trustees: trustees@stmichaelsofcohoes.org



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Weekly Contributions

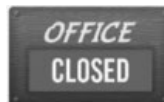
June 4, 2023	\$3,079.00
Year 2022	\$2,658.00
Regular Offertory 2022	\$2,083.00
Regular Offertory*	\$2,453.00
2 nd Collection - Catholic Communication	\$196.00
Other 2 nd Collections	\$430.00
*Regular Offertory: 9am Mass & Mail	\$2,148.00
E-giving	\$305.00

Weekend Mass attendance - June 11, 2023:

Sunday, 9am 91

Counting Team for June 19th: Diane Aberle, Mary Walsh, Judith Ann Wade.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED: The Parish office will be closed on Monday, **June 19th** in observance of Juneteenth National Independence Day.



**“Two Are Better Than One;
For if Either of Them Falls, One
Can Help The Other Up.”**

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

Thank you to those who have already responded positively to requests for support of both parish offertory & the Diocesan Appeal. We know that personal budgets are tight and that support may be unaffordable this year or necessitate reduced giving. **If you are in a different financial position** and are perhaps able to add a bit to your gifts to help close the gaps left by others struggling to support parish offertory and the Diocesan Appeal this year, thank you! If not, we understand and are grateful for your original investment which brings your parish to its assessment amount via donor support! We are stronger together, we thrive together, and we are disciples in faith...**together!**



www.TheDiocesanAppeal.org

Appeal Closes June 30, 2023



Diocesan Appeal

All funds raised for the Diocesan Appeal are used for programs, services and ministries for parishes. No Diocesan Appeal contributions are used for the settlement of legal cases.

Diocesan Appeal | 40 N. Main Ave., Albany NY 12203 | 518.453.6680 | stewardship@rcda.org

Liturgical Roles⁺

Weekend of June 25th, 2023

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Sacristans
9:00AM	G. Mierzwa	M. Sala	M. Swieton

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!


We honor both living and deceased fathers on their special day. Thank you for all you do. May you enjoy a blessed day!

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

SOCIAL HOUR: Sunday, June 18th is Father's Day, so there will not be a social hour. Happy Father's Day to all. The social hour will be taking a summer break. Be safe and have an enjoyable summer. Thanks for a great year. See you in September!

JULY 2023 CALENDAR RAFFLE: The St. Michael's Church Rosary Society is sponsoring the calendar raffle. Tickets are \$10 each and a winner is drawn for each day of the month. Tickets will be sold before and after Mass throughout June. All proceeds will benefit the St. Michael's Church Special Project Fund. Thank you for your support!



 **PRAYERS TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA:** The Rosary Society is hosting prayers to Our Lady of Fatima on the 13th. A handout of the prayers is provided. All are invited at 6pm on Thursday, **July 13th**.

EARLY BULLETIN SUBMISSION: Due to the July Fourth holiday, there is an early submission to the publisher. **Please submit any information for the July 9th bulletin before noon on Sunday, June 25th.** Information can be emailed to bulletin@stmichaelsofcohoes.org or dropped off at the Parish Office.



BECOME A MEMBER OF ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH: We warmly welcome new members to St. Michael's Church! Registration forms are available in the back of the church, in the Parish Office, or downloaded from our parish website, www.stmichaelsofcohoes.org. Completed forms may be placed in the offertory collection basket, dropped off at or mailed to the Parish Office, or emailed to info@stmichaelsofcohoes.org.

DIOCESAN APPEAL: You may have noticed the Appeal envelopes in the pews. Please make sure to fill in our Parish on the inside of the envelope. The assessment for St. Michael's Church is **\$35,543.00**. As of May 23rd, 62 gifts have made for a total of **\$8,997.00 (25% of our goal)**. Average gift: \$145. Still needed: \$26,546.00. The Appeal runs from July 2022 to June 2023. Thank you for your support.



BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: The Bereavement Ministry will meet on Thursday, **June 29th** in the parish office at 6pm. **Anyone** interested in participating in this important ministry is urged to attend.

ST. MICHAEL'S EVANGELIZATION TEAM: The Evangelization Team will meet at St. Michael's in the Parish Center on Thursday, **July 20th**, at 5pm-7pm. Pizza will be served. Please contact Janet Gorsky (via text at 518-542-3311) if you have any questions. **All** are welcome!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Bereavement Ministry - Parish Office June 29, 6pm
- Prayers to Our Lady of Fatima - near Statue July 13, 6pm
- Evangelization Team Meeting - Parish Center July 20, 5pm

Confirmation on June 4th at St. Ambrose Church: Congratulations to our St. Michael's parishioners who were confirmed - Christian DeChiaro, Chad Kehn, Shae Fontaine, Evarista Tarlo, Cesar Hernandez, Meghan LaBombard, and Trinity Vasquez.



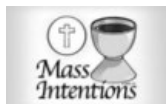
NEWS FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

DIOCESE OF ALBANY - STEP UP MEN'S CONFERENCE 2023: Step Up 2023 will be held on Saturday, **August 12th** from 8:30am to 5pm at the Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine in Auriesville. The event will include presentations from two great nationally known keynote speakers (Fr. Larry Richards & Deacon Darrell Miller), Reconciliation, Adoration, Rosary, and 4pm Mass. Early registration cost is \$50 per person and includes lunch. College age and younger men are FREE. Contact Tom Cronin (Thomas.Cronin@rcda.org) or Tom LaBruzzo (labco@gmail.com) with any questions. For more information and to register: <https://www.rcda.org/StepUp>.

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**Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 17 – June 25, 2023**

Sat., June 17	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
4:00 p.m. (Fr. Rutherford)	(Mass at Holy Trinity)
Sun., June 18	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Father's Day
9:00 a.m. (Fr. Deimeke)	People of the Parish
10:30 a.m. (Fr. Deimeke)	(Mass at Holy Trinity)
Mon., June 19	
9:00 a.m. (Fr. Kelly)	†George Blais by Doris Vojnar
Tues., June 20	
Wed., June 21	Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
9:00 a.m. (Fr. Deimeke)	People of the Parish
Th., June 22	
Fri., June 23	
Sat., June 24	The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
4:00 p.m. (Fr. Kelly)	(Mass at Holy Trinity)
Sun., June 25	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m. (some Polish) (Fr. Bellafiore)	†Joseph J. Kosek, Jr. by Joey, Deb, Natalie & Eric †Frank J. Gebosky by Jane & Franky †Anna & Jakub Swieton by Maria Swieton †Howard Smith by Wife †Audrey Kearns by Julia & Kathleen †Henry Novak by Thomas & Cathryn Valentini †Joseph Karas by Mr. & Mrs. Jan Lopatniuk †Zbigniew Swieton by Kaz Matala †St. Anthony of Padua by Antonia Cappabianca
10:30 a.m. (Fr. Kelly)	(Mass at Holy Trinity)



Please note: Masses listed above are at St. Michael's Church unless noted otherwise.

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St. Michael's

Faith Formation News

Director: Kathy Burns - FFsmCohoes@rcda.org

(518) 428-6353

**REGISTRATION FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR
WILL OPEN ON JULY 1ST**

Current families will receive registration forms in the mail. Please remember that 2 years of Faith Formation is required to make First Communion, usually beginning in first grade. Kindergarten students are welcome to register as well. For Confirmation, 3 years of Faith Formation is required, beginning in Eighth grade. Unusual circumstances will always be considered. Please contact Kathleen Burns for registration information (518) 428-6353.

FAMILY DINNER WITH FATHER SAM

Parents, children, and young adults are invited to join Father Sam for food, fellowship and faith Sharing. Pizza and beverage will be provided. Please bring a salad or dessert to share.

UPCOMING DATES: July 7th, August 4th

Dinner begins at 6:00pm These events will be held outdoors at different locations. Scan the QR code on the poster for locations and to register. Contact Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish for more information at (518) 273-6020.

CLYNK

Summer is here! Barbeques and outings are back! Please remember our Clynk recycling program. Clynk accepts all recyclable clean glass and plastic cans and bottles. All proceeds go to Faith Formation programs. Thank you for your continued support of this program!

God our Father,

In your wisdom and love you have created us and called us your own. Bless our fathers, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers.

Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.

In moments of joy, rejoice with them. In times of struggle, give them your courage and perseverance. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor and appreciate them always with a spirit of profound respect. May the example and prayer of St. Joseph inspire them to live their vocation with courage.

Grant this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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