



*Do not
be afraid ;*

just have faith

Saint Michael Parish

**THIRTEENTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY
TIME**

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**SUNDAY
JUNE 30,
2024**

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UPCOMING EVENTS

STEWARDSHIP

July 2 Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 PM.
July 4 Independence Day, Office is closed.
July 5 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until
Noon. Rosary begins at Noon.
July 23 Beep Beep Bingo 5:30 PM.
Aug. 11 Parish Picnic after the 11 AM Mass.
Confessions on Saturdays from 3-4 PM only during
remainder of June and July.

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
\$8848.26

CSA
Pledged: \$96,245
Paid: \$81,810

MINISTRY SCHEDULER

An email was sent on June 24 to all those active in music, readers, EMHC, and altar servers with the July schedule. Call the office if you did not receive that email so your email can be updated.

*THANK YOU FOR THE GENEROSITY YOU SHOW
TO OUR PARISH!*

St. Michael Church: In memory of Tom Duda (\$50),
In memory of Fr. Christopher Barnes (\$50).

St. Michael School Endowment: In memory of
Adelaide Giangiorando (\$100).

Date / Mass	Lector	EMHC	Cantor	Accompanist	Altar Servers
July 6/4:30 PM	Tess Redfoot	Sandy Ohl Mary Ann Marshall	Lily T.	Lisa Demarest	Maggie L. & Mason M.
July 7/8:00 AM	Maureen Shine	Kenda & Tom Hoovler			Avery W. & Duncan M.
July 7/11:00 AM	Bea DeCiancio	Marilyn Kosloski Doug Ruffing	Kathleen Williams	Natalie Serrano	Ella & Lance P., Andrew H.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

40 CLUB

Weekday Masses Tues- Fri 9AM /First Sat 9AM

Saint Michael Church

TUESDAY, JULY 2

Ann Bunton (Susan & Wayne)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

Saint Thomas

Isaiah John Perry (Anniv.) Noni & Bop

THURSDAY, JULY 4

Independence Day US

April M., Sandy C., Suzie Resigner (Irene)

FRIDAY, JULY 5

Saint Anthony Zaccaria

Fr. Christopher Barnes (Mary Jo Dolecki)

SATURDAY, JULY 6

Saint Maria Goretti

Dennis Durkos (Adrienne Rotunno)

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY, JULY 6

4:30 PM *Saint Michael Church*

For the People of the Parish

SUNDAY, JULY 7

***8:00 AM** *Saint Margaret Mission**

Frank Eber (Lori Ehrman)

11:00 AM *Saint Michael Church*

Margaret Varley (Daughter)

The Forty Club benefits St Michael School. Tickets are available now for 2024-2025 by contacting one of the ticket sellers:

Wes Bates: 724-699-6255

Walter Beh: 724-588-3108

Natalie Higbee: 724-699-9021

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Fran Krachkowski: 724-588-3749

Roseanne McConnell: 724-588-3254

Judy McKay: 724-456-5654

Charles Stepp: 724-588-2127

First drawing is August 7, 2024 with the final drawing May 25, 2025 with the Buffet Dinner.

SANCTUARY CANDLES INTENTION & DONOR

July 1-15

Sr. Barbara Regan (Susan & Joy Lynn)

July 1-15

Isaiah John Perry (Noni & Bop)

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Beth Yuriscic (M/M Robert Moore)

St. Margaret

SAVE THE DATE

The Annual Parish Picnic is set for Sunday, August 11, 2024. Watch the bulletin for upcoming meetings, and other details. Helpers for set up, food service, and clean up are needed. Sign Up lists will be coming closer to the event on Flocknote.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Due to the holiday, Adoration will begin after the 9AM Mass ending at Noon. K of C will lead the Rosary at Noon with Benediction to follow. Please sign up on Flocknote to spend some time in prayer.

BEEP BEEP BINGO

Save the date for Beep Beep Bingo at the Reynolds Drive In Tuesday July 23rd, August 27th to benefit St Michael School. Gate opens at 5:30, bingo starts at 6:30. 20 games of Bingo for \$20. Volunteers to help with this event would be greatly appreciated.

SCHOOL PROJECTS FOR SUMMER

We are putting together clean-up crews over the summer. If you could lend us some time this summer, we have a list of projects we'll be working on to get the school and Lateran Hall in tip-top shape for the 2024-2025 school year. Please contact the Church office at 724-588-9800 option 1 or stmichaelsecretary20@gmail.com if you're available to help.

A WORD FROM FATHER RAY

As we listen to the readings from this thirteenth Sunday of the Year, they give us much to reflect on. Each of them give us a mirror into how God's love for us is immense. From the Book of Wisdom we hear this: "God did not make death, nor does He rejoice in the destruction of the living. For God formed man to be imperishable; the image of His own nature He made him." We are so special because we are made in the image and likeness of God we lost that because of sin. What is sin? It is simply that we know better than what God plans are for us.

We know that sin came into the world through the sin of Adam and Eve. "But by the envy of the devil, death entered the world, and they who belong to his company experience it." We have to ask ourselves what is the death referring to. It refers to what we now experience as human death, but also it may refer to SIN. Sin causes us to separate ourselves from God.

We could not and still cannot restore the intimacy that we had with God in the Garden of Paradise only God's Son could. Scripture reminds us of the closeness that we had one time with God. "Adam and Eve walked with God in the coolness of the evening."

St. Paul in today's letter reminds us of how Jesus humbled himself to become one of us; in order to begin the healing process of breaking the power of Satan. In the garden God promised that he would send a redeemer. In that letter St. Paul's encourages us not only to be thankful for what Jesus has done, but also there can be no "one-upmanship". St. Paul reminds us and encourages us to remember that we are all brothers and sisters made in the image of God, "equality".

From the Gospel of Saint Mark we are reminded of the importance of the faith that we are called to have and live out. Two ordinary people, like us, with two different needs. The first, the woman with the hemorrhage. Most like by now she is elderly and close to being broke. But she believes with all her heart that if she just touches His garment that she will be healed. As we know she does and is healed. Jesus senses that healing has gone out of Him and asks who done it. The apostles make fun of it. The woman comes up to Jesus and is rewarded for her strong faith. With God what may seem impossible is possible.

Let us now look at Jairus, he comes to Jesus because his daughter is close to death and he knows that Jesus can save her. But when he begins to tell the story he finds out that his daughter has died. But instead of listening to those who came to tell him the bad news he listened to Jesus and we know the end of the story. Both of these people encourage us to have a strong faith that does not cave into difficult situations. Our "eyes" as it were have to be fixed upon Jesus.

As you can see, I am not here this weekend, I am in Toledo, Ohio at my nephew's parish. His name is Mark Genovesi and he has been a permanent deacon for 5 years. This weekend is his last weekend in his present parish and he begins his new assignment at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish as Pastoral administrator on July First. His present pastor asked me to concelebrate the Mass with him for my nephew and also do the homily.

I want to take this opportunity to thank Fr. David Renne for filling in for me.

Fr. Ray