

MONDAY, APRIL 11
ROSARY FOR PEACE: 1:30 p.m. in church
YOUTH CHOIR PRACTICE: 3:00 p.m.
HOLY NAME CHOIR PRACTICE: 8:00 p.m.
TUESDAY, APRIL 12
SOUP FOR LENT: 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. in church basement
RCIA: 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13
FINAL HIGH SCHOOL CCD: 7:00 p.m.
THURSDAY, APRIL 14
ROSARY: 7:00 p.m. in church

KHS Musical: "Matilda Jr. the Musical"
Saturday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 10, at 2:30 p.m.
General admission is \$5 and reserved seating is \$6.

Kalida Area Garage Sales
April 28, 29 & 30. If interested in having a garage sale, please sign up at Kalida Telephone or Union Bank by **April 15**.
Kalida EMS Annual Chicken BBQ
Sunday, April 24, from 11:00 a.m. until gone, behind the Kalida Fire Station. Carryout only and no presale. \$9/meal.

Polka Dance Rescheduled
The Ohio Polka Boosters Dance, originally scheduled for April 24, has been moved to Saturday, May 14. Doors open at 2:00 p.m. and the dance is from 3:00-7:00 p.m., at Kalida K of C. The Frank Moravcik Band will be performing. Call 419-966-3826 for more information.

Collection for Little Lambs Christian Preschool
We are excited to announce that Little Lambs Christian Preschool is really taking off and on the road to success!! We are filling up and our registration and tuition payments will be a great start to managing funds for us, however, being a nonprofit organization, we are still in need of donations to really make us the best center we can possibly be! This is especially true for our first year, as we have many items to purchase in order to create a safe, inviting, and educational environment. We are lucky to live in such a supportive community and we know that with your help, we will have a dynamic preschool that will set the foundation for our young members to be successful in the next phase of their education. We plan to take up a second collection at Mass on **April 23 and 24** to assist with our start up funds. Pictured below are just a few items we will be purchasing! Please consider donating, as these children are our future community leaders. Thank you so much!



SERVER SCHEDULE		
Tues, 4/12	8:00 AM	Sophia Meyer Jagger Miller
Wed, 4/13	8:00 AM	Kylie Peck
Thurs, 4/14	7:30 PM	Carson & Evan Klausing Ryan Klausing
Fri, 4/15	1:30 PM	Grant Knapke Katherine Krouse
	7:30 PM	Allie Kuhlman Jeret Landwehr
Sat, 4/16	8:30 PM	Ethan Langhals Drew & Olivia Meyer
Sun, 4/17	8:00 AM	EJ, Malie & Adyson Miller
	11:00 AM	Grace Niemeyer Griffin & Maddalyn Nienberg

Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors - Holy Thursday
7:30: Bob Gerdeman, Sue Gerdeman, Jim Hanneman
LECTOR: Mary Plescher
Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors - Good Friday
1:30: Mark Kahle, Rachel Kahle, Becky Lucke
LECTOR: Wendy Schimmoeller
7:30: Jane Kleman, Mike Krouse, Darlene Miller, Peter Morrissey
LECTOR: Kayla Nartker, Nancy Rampe
Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors - Easter
8:30: Phil & Sue Fuerst, Gus Brinkman
LECTOR: Joyce Schnipke, Amy Wannemacher
8:00: Beth Nienberg, Joan Niese, Rose Recker, Donna Schnipke
LECTOR: Donna Schnipke
Ministers to Homebound: Tom & Judy Bonifas
11:00: Michele Niese, Mark Remlinger, Tom Roof, Wendy Schimmoeller
LECTOR: Sandy Westrick

USHERS - Easter
8:30: Team 1 **8:00:** Team 2 **11:00:** Team 3

The Return of the Music Booster Calendar!
The Kalida Music Boosters Calendars are back for the 44th year! This fundraiser benefits the Kalida band and choir programs. The calendar runs from September 2022 to August 2023. The cost is \$10, which includes a wall and pocket calendar. If interested in purchasing a calendar, send a check only (no cash) to P.O. Box 780 Kalida, OH 45853 c/o Paige Burgei. **Make the check payable to "Kalida Local Schools."** If you would like to add any listings such as a birthday, anniversary, etc., please enclose that information in the envelope as well. Contact Paige with questions (567-712-9101).

Donation Day for Little Lambs Preschool...
is Sunday April 24, from 1:00-4:00 p.m. in the church basement. Please bring in your new or gently-used items to help us fill up our Preschool rooms! Here are some items we need:
Manipulatives: wooden puzzles, floor puzzles, games suited for children ages 3-6, building toys (Legos, magnet tiles, Lincoln logs, manipulative connector toys), magnet sets
Pretend Play: kitchen set and play food, cash register, baby doll changing table with baby doll supplies, community helper trucks (fire truck, ambulance, tractor with wagon, garbage truck, etc.), wooden train set, animal figures, doctor set, dress-up outfits
Art: stamps, stencils, playdoh tools, paint smocks, paint brushes, unused supplies (paper, markers, pencils, paint, stamp pads, ect.), easels, dry erase boards
Other: Sturdy shelves, book stand/tower, classroom décor/ wall hangings, sensory table

THANK YOU!!!

ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH - KALIDA, OHIO - APRIL 10, 2022
Pastor: Fr. Mark Hoying, C.P.P.S. **Deacon:** Bob Klausing **DRE:** Connie Cleemput
Youth Minister: Jill Zeller **Maintenance:** Kevin Fischer **Website:** stmichaelskalida.org
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From the Desk of Fr. Mark

Hi, everyone.

It's Holy Week and I want to stay focused on God's love for us. In the past when I was very young, mom would make simple meals to help keep things focused on what was important. I remember meals of pancakes and bean soup. The next meal might be bean soup and corn bread. Another meal might be just bean soup with no ham in it at all. You would think that I would not like bean soup, but I still love it as it brings back memories of our family sitting together around a big table in preparation for Easter. Mom and dad would always remind us kids of the sacrifice Jesus made for us and that our little sacrifices were little compared to how much Jesus loved us as He walked the way of the cross and would die on the cross for us. Maybe bean soup still sounds good during Lent because the alternatives were sardines, smelt, tuna casserole or little bony sunfish caught right out of a polluted creek. Whatever the meal might have been, as a family we thought of how everything came back to God's love for us.

This week I began jury duty. I thought immediately about the First Station of the Cross: Jesus is condemned to death. It was strange to hold a person's future in your hands, if the case would go to trial or not. And yet that is what we are called to do as Jesus' family: to be so involved in each other's lives as to call someone our neighbor. Love calls us to be involved with each other. Love called the Father to send the Son to be involved in our lives so that we could be involved with His...forever. As new cases were presented, I heard Jesus' words come to the forefront. I heard that I did not come to condemn. Part of the jury duty was to go to the jail. It was not a pleasant experience. I prayed for current inmates and past ones who need healing, forgiveness, and peace. I found going to jail a prayerful experience. With Holy Week on the horizon Jesus and Holy Week were not far from my thoughts.

With this week being Holy Week, I am asking everyone to get involved. Enter into fasting. Enter into prayer. Enter into our celebrations in church. Enter into the love which Jesus would live and die for. The services are beautiful and full of things to reflect upon. Make plans to attend. Make plans to take in the love of God. Make this a Holy Week. *Fr. Mark*

An End of an Era

Today marks the announcement of the Diocese of Toledo taking over the parishes of St. Michael's and St. John's. Due to fewer and fewer priests, the Missionaries of the Precious Blood cannot staff assignments which have been held by our missionaries for many years. St. Michael's has been staffed by our Missionaries since 1888 and St. John's for the past 13 years. These two parishes have been home to a number of priests and brothers over the past years and have been my home over the past 13 years. These are wonderful parishes with a wonderful faith and a joyful, youthful spirit. The missionary spirit runs through so much of who we are. From food banks, mission trips to Appalachia, looking after each other, etc. the missionary spirit is easy to see. I'd like to thank all of you for making our parishes feel so at home for me. I have always wanted to be a missionary, I just didn't know that it would be in my backyard. Please keep the Missionaries of the Precious Blood, Diocese of Toledo and our parishes in your prayers.

Prayer Gathering for Women of All Ages

Every Sunday at 7:00 p.m. in church.

All women are welcome.

Mass Intentions & Schedule for the Week

TUESDAY, APRIL 12

8:00 AM Paul Hermiller (HN)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13

8:00 AM Bill Cleemput

10:30 AM Funeral Mass - Paul Hermiller

THURSDAY, APRIL 14 *Holy Thursday*

7:30 PM Bill & Mary Lou Felkey, Ed Schroeder
Jerry & Dorothy Unverferth, Larry Peck
Cleora Winkle, George Ellerbrock
Alfred & Marcella Ellerbrock, Lauren Schneeg
Lorene & Norbert Fuerst, Moxie & Cindy Wehri
Richard Fuerst, Jim Warnecke

FRIDAY, APRIL 15 *Good Friday*

1:30 PM The Passion of Our Lord

7:30 PM The Passion of Our Lord

SATURDAY, APRIL 16 *Holy Saturday*

8:30 PM Bob Schimmoeller, Lincoln Roebke, Jerome & Ethel Bendele, Don Bendele, Ray, Dorothea & Ron Averagesch, John Phillips L/D Gene & Mary Jane Stechschulte Fam., L/D Bill & Anita Doepker Fam, Mike, Arnie, Mary & Cel Verhoff
The new members of the Catholic Faith

SUNDAY, APRIL 17 *The Resurrection of the Lord*

8:00 AM Elmer & Helen Korte, L/D Korte & Brickner Fam.
Don & Joyce Jerwers, Klara Frommherz
Tom Recker, Roger Buss, Jim Siefker
L/D Tony & Bernadine Hoersten Family
L/D Alphonse & Frances Schulte Family
Norbert & Belva Berelsman
Edwin & Theresa Herman Family, Jazzlyn Gray
Ralph, Bruce, Mark & Judy Honigfort
Cleora, Bob & Stan Winkle, Marlene Verhoff
Leroy Warnement & Family, L/D Haselman & Verhoff Family, Ron Kahle, Jr., Connie Miller
Amos & Wilma Miller Family, Tom Warnecke
L/D William & Marilyn Leopold Family

Last Sunday's Collection \$ 15,791.96

Choir Assignments - Holy Thursday

7:30: Laura

Choir Assignments - Good Friday

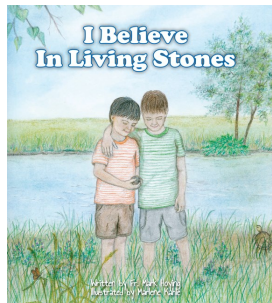
1:00: Matt/YAHS 7:30: HN

Choir Assignments - Easter

8:30: Renee/YAHS 8:00: Carol/HN 11:00:

Holy Name Choir Practice...

This Monday, April 11, at 8:00 p.m. (note time change).



Copies of Fr. Mark's Book Available

Copies of Fr. Mark's book "I Believe in Living Stones" are still available at the Parish Center. See Fr. Mark if you would like a copy for an Easter gift or as a keepsake.

Our Condolences

The Funeral Mass for

Paul Hermiller

will be Wednesday,

April 13, at 10:30 a.m.

Please include Paul

and his family

in your prayers.



Save the Date for Fr. Mark's Farewell Party

We will have Fr. Mark's farewell celebration on Sunday, June 26, at the park. More information will be mailed soon.

Signatures Needed on Quilt for Fr. Mark

All parishioners are asked to sign their name on the quilt pieces at the exits of church (cream-colored areas only). Please use the provided permanent fabric markers only. The quilt pieces will be in church until May 8. Thanks!

Outdoor Stations of the Cross

Weather-permitting, this Sunday, the Seventh Grade will present the Stations of the Cross outdoors (walking around the church block). Please join us!

Soup Served This Tuesday...

from 5:00 – 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. Open to anyone in the Kalida community. Call Diane (419-890-7004) or Millie (419-231-5656) for delivery.

Recent Baptisms

LEO ANTHONY HEFNER

Son Curt & Kimberly (Miller) Rieman & Keith Hefner

ZACHARY VINCENT RIEKE

Son of Clinton & Laura (Burgei) Rieke

COLLINS JO RIEMAN

Daughter of Curt & Kimberly (Miller) Rieman

RUTH ANN SCHROEDER

Daughter of Sam & Abby (Sarka) Schroeder

KINSLEY RAE SIEBENECK

Daughter of Michael & Miranda (Hermiller) Siebeneck

WESLEY THOMAS SNYDER

Son of Chad & Danielle (Matson) Snyder

Easter Flower Intention Deadline is This Sunday

Seventh Grade Catechist Needed for 2022-23

The time would be from 8:00-8:40 a.m. with class four days and Mass on Friday. Possibly two people could split the days. Contact Connie (419-532-3494, ext. 102), for info.

Cemetery Cleanup

April 15 is the final cleanup date for the mowing season at St. Michael's Cemetery. All decorations must be placed on the footers so the grass may be trimmed properly. Mulch and stones are not permitted as they prohibit proper mowing. We would like to keep the cemetery looking beautiful and remain peaceful for our loved ones' final resting place. Thanks for all your help with this. *The Cemetery Committee*

Penance Service at Ottawa

Monday, April 11, at 4:00 & 7:00 p.m.

Students Planning Mass...

are Stephanie Price's grade 3 on Wednesday, April 13. There will be no students at Mass on Friday.

High School CCD - April 13

The final class of the year will be at 7:00 p.m.

Virtue of the Week is Honesty

Honesty is a sincerity, openness and truthfulness in one's words and actions. It means telling truth even if it means you will get in trouble. Saints who practiced honesty were St. Stephen, St. Bridget of Sweden and St. John Chrysostom. Our prayer for this week is, "*Dear Jesus, You said 'I am the Truth.' You have made me for Truth because You have made me for Yourself. Help me be honest in all that I say and do, that I might know true happiness in You.*"

Attention Parents of Second Grade Students

There is a required parent meeting on Tuesday, April 12, at 7:00 p.m. in church. This is just for the parents of our second grade students.

Knights of Columbus April Meeting Moved!

Our usual meeting would fall on Holy Thursday and therefore it is MOVED to Thursday, April 21, at 8:15 p.m. We will be hoping to get all outstanding Charity Campaign tickets since we will be sending the last turn in that Friday. Also, will be awarding this year's "Order of the Fish." Make your plans to attend!

CLC Meeting

Monday, April 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the church basement.

Toledo Diocesan Women's Day of Renewal

Join the women of the Toledo Diocese for a spiritual and inspirational retreat on Wednesday, May 11, 2022 at Our Lady of Consolation Shrine in Carey, Ohio. The theme for this retreat is Mary, Ember of Hope. The cost is \$20 per person. Reservations are needed by April 20, 2022. Registration forms with more detailed information are available at the doors of our church. Local contacts are Rita Borgelt (419-532-3637) and Tammy Schroeder (419-796-8964).



Holy Week Schedule

Holy Thursday

6:00 p.m. at Continental

7:30 p.m. at Kalida

Good Friday

1:30 p.m. at Kalida

6:00 p.m. at Continental

7:30 p.m. at Kalida

Holy Saturday

8:30 p.m. at Kalida

Easter Sunday

8:00 a.m. at Kalida

9:30 a.m. at Continental

11:00 a.m. at Kalida