

# Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic Church, Kalida, Ohio - Sunday, August 11, 2019

## 2019-20 St. Michael Church Events



August 14:	Assumption Vigil Mass at 7:30 p.m.
August 15:	Assumption Masses at 8:00 a.m. & 7:30 p.m.
August 20:	First Day of Elementary/Jr. High Religion Classes
August 28	All School Mass at 8:00 a.m.
September 10:	RCIA Classes Begin
September 11:	First High School Religion Class at 7:00 p.m.
September 14:	Outdoor Mass at Four Seasons Park
September 29:	Fr. Elmer's 90th Birthday Party at K of C
October 5:	Blessing of Animals at 9:00 a.m.
October 5/6:	Engaged Couple Conference at Kalida
October 20:	Mission Fest at Kalida K of C
October 27:	Church Crawl for All
October 31:	All Saints Vigil Mass at 7:30 p.m.
November 1:	All Saints Day Masses at 8:00 a.m. & 7:30 p.m.
November 1:	Freshmen Retreat
November 2:	All Souls Mass at 8:00 a.m.
November 3:	Cemetery Services at 1:00 p.m.
November 7:	Memorial Mass at 6:30 p.m.
November 21-24:	National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC)
November 27:	Thanksgiving Eve Mass at 7:30 p.m.
November 28:	Thanksgiving Mass at 9:00 a.m.
December 1:	Advent Begins!
December 7:	Christmas School at K of C
December 10:	Penance Service at 4:00 & 7:00 p.m.
December 24:	Christmas Eve Masses at 4:00, 8:00 and 11:00 p.m.
December 25:	Christmas Day Mass at 9:00 a.m.
December 31:	Solemnity of Mary Vigil Mass at 4:30 p.m.
January 1:	Solemnity of Mary Mass at 10:30 a.m.
January 18 & 19:	Christ Renews His Parish Women's Retreat
January 19 & 20:	Sophomore Retreat
January 24:	Holy Name Christmas/New Year's Party
February 4:	First Reconciliation at 7:00 p.m.
February 16:	Homecoming Mass at 4:30 p.m.
February 26:	Ash Wednesday Masses at 8:00 a.m. & 7:30 p.m.
March 7:	Sacrament of Confirmation
March 22:	Junior Retreat (Church Crawl)
March 27:	Night of Mercy in Church
March 31:	Penance Service at 4:00 & 7:00 p.m.
April 9:	Holy Thursday Mass at 7:30 p.m.
April 10:	Good Friday Services at 1:30 & 7:30 p.m.
April 11:	Easter Vigil Mass at 8:30 p.m.
April 12:	Easter Masses at 8:00 & 11:00 a.m.
April 19:	Senior Retreat
May 3:	First Communion at 11:00 a.m. Mass
May 17:	Baccalaureate Mass & Luncheon
June 18-20:	Youth Elect Service (YES) at Kalida!
July 13-16:	Vacation Bible School

Euchre Tournament to be held at 2:00 p.m. on the following Sundays:

October 6, November 3, January 5, February 2, March 1

Soup will be served after the 11:00 a.m. Mass on the following Sundays:

March 1, March 15, March 29

## From the Desk of Fr. Mark

Hi, everyone. I hope you all had a great week. Camping was successful, as I got some exercise, ate campfire food and came home with some good stories. I'm not sure if I came back rested, but I came back with some sore muscles from miles and miles of biking. It made me wonder why I didn't do this earlier and more frequently. Although short, it was definitely worthwhile.

Some of my favorite stories from this week include a persistent dragonfly. As I rode my bike from Piqua to Troy, I found myself accompanied by a dragonfly. At first I thought it was pretty cool and I thanked God for a visitor along the way. But the dragonfly continued as I continued down the path along a river. I went for about a mile with the dragonfly by my side or a few feet ahead of the bike. Because of the persistent insect, I took time to think of it as my guardian angel. I asked for protection and no flat tires. Because the dragonfly stayed with me so long, my thoughts went to saints looking over me. I thought of my mom and dad and asked God to take good care of them in heaven. I thought of different saints who could inspire me on my journey beyond the bike path. I also asked the Holy Spirit to help me in parish work at home (I tried not to think of you guys, but couldn't help it).

By the time I got back to my campsite, it was nearly dark. As I walked from my tent to the campfire, I heard a growling sound. I wasn't sure if it was an opossum, raccoon, coyote or bear. My great nieces and nephews were with me, so we decided on the bear because it made for better stories. I thought of things that growled in my life and decided to fear not and turn to trusting the Lord. When I sat down and watched the stars, I included the growling things of my life and gave them to the Lord. I never did find out what the growling was. I figured the guardian angel dragonfly was doing its job.

I have a reclining lawn chair which came in handy as I watched the stars. The campsite was away from a lot of light, so the stars came in bright. It is amazing how many shooting stars and satellites there are in the night sky. Still, there was a lull in the action and I could take time to appreciate God, creation, people and the many ways that God is in my life throughout the year. I prayed for lots of people and lots of intentions. After a long bike ride, it felt good to just sit. It was early in the wee hours of morning that I headed to my tent.

I did get to be with my sister and her family in between the camping/biking adventure. There are three grandchildren who kept Great Uncle Mark busy. We played beat the priest in cards, which is any game in which if someone beats me, money is given to the winner. They enjoyed this game lots as I do like to spoil them because I don't get to see them very often. And just like children's sports today, just by participating they got a participation trophy dollar just for playing games with Uncle Fr. Mark.

The trip was fast and furious, as it only lasted one day, but it was a time I devoted to resting with the Lord. It was worth it and am looking forward to more day trips. One more week till school starts. Take this week to vacation, even if it is for one day, with the Lord. Have a blessed week, everyone.

*Fr. Mark*

## Mass Intentions for Holy Week

### MONDAY, AUGUST 12

**8:00 AM COMMUNION SERVICE**

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

**8:00 AM Gene Stechschulte (A)**

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14 *St. Maximilian Kolbe*

**8:00 AM**

**7:30 PM Jim Hamilton, Dolores Wehri**

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 15 *Assumption of Virgin Mary*

**8:00 AM Parish**

**7:30 PM L/D Darren & Pat Langhals Family**

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

**8:00 AM Jerry & Dorothy Unverferth**

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

**4:30 PM Harold Barnhart, Ron Aversesch**

**Dorothea Aversesch, Louis Verhoff**

**Bob Brinkman, Luke Stechschulte**

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

**7:30 AM Dorothy Miller, Len Bockrath**

**10:30 AM L/D Richard & Gladys Unverferth Family  
Don Holtkamp & Family**

**Last Week's Collection:** \$ 8,482.35

**Choir - August 14 at 7:30 pm: YAHS**

**Choir - August 15 at 7:30 pm: HN**

**Choir Assignments - August 17 & 18**

**4:30:** A Capella Group **7:30:** Ashleigh **10:30:** Matt

## **YAHS Choir...Want to Join?**

If you want to join the Young Adult/High School Choir, the first practice is Wednesday, August 28, at 8:00 p.m., in the choir loft. Young Adult means, "Young at Heart!"

## **Thank You**

The family of Dorothy Decker would like to thank all those who helped with the Funeral Mass; specifically Father Mark, the choir and the Helping Hands volunteers. Your outpouring of support and prayers through her celebration of life were greatly appreciated. Thank you.

## **Have a Recipe, But Need Help Making It?**

If for any reason you can no longer cook, but have a recipe you would like included in the cook book, please call us at 419-532-3474 and we will work it out so someone can make it for you or help you make it. Just let us know...we'd love for you to be included! This includes any of our parishioners in the nursing home, as well!

## **Cook Book Recipe Submissions So Far...**

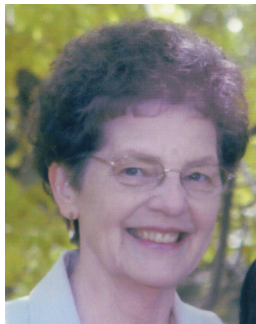
*Chicken Pot Pie, Chewy Monster Cookies, Sausage & Sauerkraut Mashed Potatoes, Swedish Nut Cake, Baked Burritos, Apple Pie, Pasta Salad, Beef Stew, Strawberry Chiffon Pie, Molasses Cookies, Peanut Butter Popcorn, Ham Loaf, Macaroni & Cheese, Apple Dumplings, Fruit Cobbler and Kool-Aid Sherbet.* **Reminder to get your recipe in as soon as possible because if two recipes are similar, we'll only include the first one submitted.** Looking forward to hearing from you! **Re-type your recipe** (so we can copy and paste it to save time and errors) and send to [kalida.stmichaelyouth@bright.net](mailto:kalida.stmichaelyouth@bright.net), along with a picture.





## Our Condolences

The Funeral Mass for  
**Dorothy Decker**  
was held on  
Monday, August 5.



The Funeral Mass for  
**Dolores Wehri**  
was held on  
Wednesday, August 7.  
Please include  
Dorothy, Dolores  
and their families  
family in your prayers.

## Looking for Board Games

We are planning to set up a BOARD GAME ROOM for the youth in our parish. If you have any board games (complete and gently-used, please) you might want to donate, please drop them off at the Parish Center. Any questions, please call Jill 419-532-3494 (ext. 103). Thank you!

## Save the Date! CRHP 10 Retreat

Join women of the parish January 18 & 19 in a spiritual renewal weekend designed to help individuals grow in their personal journey with Jesus Christ and with others in their faith community. Stay tuned for future updates in the bulletin on registration and contact information.

## Parish Cook Book!!!

Here are the instructions:

1. Make your recipe.
2. Take a picture of your finished product.
3. Send an email to: [kalida.stmichaelyouth@bright.net](mailto:kalida.stmichaelyouth@bright.net) with your picture and your typed recipe. *Having you type the recipe allows us to copy and paste it into the recipe book. This saves time and errors.*
4. Include a category with your recipe from this list: appetizers, soups & salads, vegetables/sides, main dishes, breads, desserts or miscellaneous.



*Do I really need to submit a picture?* YES, pictures are fun and eye-catching and no, you don't have to be in the picture, but YES, we'd love you to be! *If a picture of your recipe already exists in a book or on the internet, send us that picture. It saves you from making it and taking a picture of it.* *Will you come take a picture of the food for me?* YES! Call 419-532-3474 and we will take your picture with the food or just take a picture of your food.

*Does the recipe have to be mine?* Absolutely not. It can be something you found on the internet that you enjoy.

*Should I submit a.s.a.p.?* This would be helpful. Plus, if there are two similar recipes submitted, we will take the first one :)

*If it's someone else's recipe, you can send a photo of them to be included, if you'd like, and/or a story about the recipe.*

## Feast of the Assumption Mass Times

Wednesday, August 14

6:00 p.m. at Continental

7:30 p.m. at Kalida

Thursday, August 15

8:00 a.m. at Kalida

7:30 p.m. at Kalida



## RCIA Class Forming!

If you know of someone who is considering joining the Catholic Church, encourage them to take a look at joining the St. John's/St. Michael's RCIA class starting this September thru Easter Vigil. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults prepares someone to understand and join the Catholic Church and ends with the sacraments of initiation – Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion. If you or someone you encourage is interested, contact Fr. Mark to learn more. We typically meet Tuesday evenings, but can make any schedule work!

## Religious Education Classes (CCD)

Our first day for elementary CCD classes will be Tuesday, August 20. St. Michael's registration forms have been mailed to the parents with students in Kindergarten through grade 8. For parents of students in high school, your child will bring home the registration form once Wednesday night classes begin on September 11. Be sure to complete the Release Time Authorization that is included with Kalida Elementary School Registration form, which allows your child to attend our classes.

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Religion Teacher Needed

Please consider sharing the faith with our students in grade 7. The position is still open. This could be filled by two people who are willing to take two days each. One can teach the "Chosen" Confirmation program and the other would teach "Called to Be Catholic," which is a review of our Catholic faith. The days are Monday through Thursday from 8:00 - 8:45 a.m. Attending Mass with the class on Friday would be encouraged, if time allows. Call Fr. Mark (419-969-0148).

## High School & Young Adults...Save the Date!

On August 23, at 6:30 p.m., at Miller City St. Nicholas Parish Center, Fr. Mitch Pacwa, will discuss "5 Ways to Heaven."

## Back to School Event

Thursday, August 15, from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m., for Grades 1-4. Meet your child's teacher, view his/her classroom, pay book fees and lunch fees in the office and bring in school supplies, clearly marked with student's name.



**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**  
**FR. ELMER'S**  
**90TH BIRTHDAY**  
**BASH!**

**MONDAY, AUGUST 12****ROSARY FOR PEACE: 1:30 p.m., in church****THURSDAY, AUGUST 15****ROSARY FOR OUR COUNTRY: 7:00 p.m. in church****FRIDAY, AUGUST 16****CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: 3:00 p.m. in church****One Day Bus Trip to Ark Encounter in Kentucky**

**Tuesday, September 17, 2019.** The bus will leave the Kalida, K of C parking lot at 7:30 a.m. and return approximately 9:30 p.m. The cost for senior citizens is \$130. Included is transportation, buffet meal at the Ark, and admission to the Ark. Experience the Ark – built to exact measurements in the Bible. Meet “Noah, his family, and the animals” in this Christian/ecumenical presentation. Contact Rita Borgelt (419-532-3637) for registration. Deadline is August 26, 2019.

**2019 CLC Annual Meeting...**

will be October 12, 2019, from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., at the Marathon Center for the Performing Arts, Findlay, OH. If interested and for more information please contact Mary Lou Hoffman (419-532-3373). Registrations are due September 12.

**Chris Potts Memorial Golf Scramble**

Saturday, September 14, at Moose Landing Golf Club. Cost is \$65/person, which includes 18 holes of golf with cart, food, on-course beverages, door prizes and more. Email [cmp\\_inc@hotmail.com](mailto:cmp_inc@hotmail.com) for more information. Hole sponsorships are available. Deadline is September 10.

**Bible Study/Weight Loss Program**

*Light Weigh One King* is a 12 week Catholic Bible Study DVD program recommended by priests, doctors, nurses & Prevention Magazine for weight-loss and health. There are no weigh-ins! View the Light Weigh Orientation video at [lightweight.com](http://lightweight.com) and click on Light Weigh One King Orientation Video is on the right side of the screen, halfway down. The *Light Weigh One King* program will be held for 12 Mondays (September 9- November 25) from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at St. John's Parish Center. If you are interested in joining the group, please call Sue Leopold (419-538-6914) by August 28 to order your program materials and join this life changing program!

**Ft. Jennings St. Joseph Festival – August 11**

Food - Fun - Games - Prizes! Family Style Chicken & Beef Dinners will be served from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. Drive thru carry-outs available. Hamburger Stand and Beer Tent from 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Big Ticket Raffle for \$1,000. Weekend Getaway Raffle. Country Store Raffle Booth. Kids' Activities include Games, Inflatables, Tractor Pull & more. Sat. Evening after 5:00 Mass- Burgers, Drinks, & MAB 5K Race.

**Fr. Mitch Pacwa, S.J. is Coming to Glandorf...**

on Saturday, August 24, from 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Fr. Mitch is well known as an EWTN TV & Radio Host, Scripture Scholar, Catholic Author, and World-Renowned Lecturer. The theme is “All Things Catholic,” with a Q & A Session. RSVP to 419-890-3724 or [jimschroeder51@gmail.com](mailto:jimschroeder51@gmail.com). Free will offering. \$6 lunch available. RSVP by Aug. 19 for lunch. Coffee/Pastry Break after 8:00 a.m. Mass.

**OFFERTORY - August 17 & 18****4:30 PM**

Jim &amp; Brenda Burgei Family

**7:30 AM**

Gus &amp; Judy Brinkman Family

**10:30 AM**

Mike &amp; Annette Gerding Family

**USHERS – August 17 & 18****4:30 PM**Connor Erhart, Cole Nienberg  
Grant Knapke**7:30 AM**

Colin Erhart, Mason Kerner

**10:30 AM**

Team 12

**LECTORS - August 17 & 18****4:30 PM**

Deb Kahle, Erin Kerner

**7:30 AM**

Mike Kahle, Deb Schroeder

**10:30 AM**

Stacy Knueve, Brayden Recker

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS - August 17 & 18**

**4:30:** Stacy Schulte, Kay Unverferth, Lisa Unverferth, Norma Unverferth, Scott Unverferth, Tony & Sandy Vorst, Kamryn Wurth, Alice Adams, Matt Bockrath

**7:30:** Dick & Judy Bockrath, Karl & Darlene Miller, Rose Recker, Mike & Karen Sarka, Donna Schnipke, Mary Siefer, Deb Schroeder

**Ministers to Homebound:** Dick & Judy Bockrath

**10:30:** Julie Siebeneck, Norma Vorst, Sandy Westrick, Greg, Jill & Jade Zeller, Alice Adams, Brian & Bev Berheide, Joyce Bonifas

**SERVERS**

Tues, 8/13	8:00 AM	Brady Rampe Lauren Schulte
Wed, 8/14	8:00 AM	Jacob Siebeneck Braylon Smith
	7:30 PM	Ryan Klausing Tyler Klausing Grant Knapke
Thurs, 8/15	7:30 PM	Jillian Knueve Kevin Lammers Logan Langhals
Fri, 8/16	8:00 AM	Jack Stechschulte Reese Strauer
Sat 8/17	4:30 PM	Jeret Landwehr Marcy Landwehr Madison Langhals
Sun, 8/18	7:30 AM	Mitch Langhals Ryan Lucke Sean Maag
	10:30 AM	McKayla Maag Luke Meyer Malie Miller

**ASSIGNMENTS (August 14 at 7:30 p.m.)**

**Euch. Min:** Deb McIntyre, Deb Miller, Peter Morrissey, Beth Nienberg, Deanna Nienberg, Lisa Niese, Teresa Rampe, Deb Remlinger, Mark Remlinger, Michele Niese

**LECTORS:** Clara Elkins, Jennifer Erhart

**USHERS:** Team 9

**ASSIGNMENTS (August 15 at 7:30 p.m.)**

**Euch. Min:** Don Rall, Lisa Rampe, Carlie Rampe, Tom Roof, Deb Schroeder, Karen Schroeder, Dick & Jane Schulte, Duane & Barb Steffan

**LECTORS:** Chris & Kyla Fortman

**USHERS:** Team 8