

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12**  
ROSARY FOR PEACE: 1:30 p.m., in church  
CLC MEETING: 7:00 p.m.  
PRAISE & WORSHIP CHOIR PRACTICE: 7:30 p.m.  
HOLY NAME CHOIR PRACTICE: 8:30 p.m.  
**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13**  
RCIA: 7:00 p.m., in the church basement  
**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14**  
HIGH SCHOOL CCD: 7:00 p.m.  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15**  
ROSARY FOR OUR COUNTRY: 7:00 p.m. in church  
YAHS CHOIR PRACTICE: after 7:30 p.m. Mass  
**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16**  
CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: 3:00 p.m., in church

## COMMUNITY BONFIRE AND CHILI PARTY SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11

KALIDA'S FOUR SEASONS PARK  
GATHERING & GAMES AT 2:00 P.M.  
CHILI WILL BE READY AT 4:00 P.M.

- Those whose last name begins with A-M are asked to bring a side dish.
- Those whose last name begins with N-Z are asked to bring a dessert
- Bring your drink of choice.

*This event is for anyone who lives in the Kalida area and is sponsored by St. Michael's and the Kalida Family Outreach Center.  
We gather to give thanks for all God's gifts!*

### How Does Your Path Into Retirement Look?

Upcoming seminars on industry-Leading content from Tom Hegna, presented by Turnwald Life Planning, Knights of Columbus Agent. Meals provided. RSVP required one day prior by calling 419-538-6438, as there is limited seating.

- Using New 2018 Tax Brackets for creating Tax-Free Distribution
- Ethical Funding Tools for Long Term Care & Protecting Retirement Assets
- Maximizing Social Security Benefits & Investments Screened for your Faith

Monday, November 19, from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m. at the Schnipke Inn, Ottawa, or from Noon – 1:00 p.m. or 5:30 – 6:30 p.m., at the Glandorf Turnwald Life Planning Conference Room.

Tuesday, November 20, from 9:00-10:00 a.m., at Dick's Restaurant, Kalida, from Noon-1:00 p.m., at the Ottoville Parish Family Room or 5:30-6:30 p.m., at Columbus Grove St. Anthony Church basement.

*Congratulations Putnam County Knights and their Families for being among the Top 5 out of 1300 regions in North America New Funds Deposited for Savings & Protection 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2018. To join, visit [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org).*

**WE REMEMBER ALL WHO HAVE SERVED**

### OFFERTORY - November 17 & 18

**4:30 PM** Tony & Sandy Vorst Family  
**8:00 AM** Dave & Jane Kahle Family  
**11:00 AM** Mike & Annette Gerding Family

### USHERS – November 17 & 18

**4:30 PM** Team 1  
**8:00 AM** Team 2 **11:00 AM** Team 3

### LECTORS - November 17 & 18

**4:30 PM:** Shelly Burkhart, Bob Buss  
**8:00 AM:** Chris Fortman, Kyla Fortman  
**11:00 AM** Clara Elkins, Jennifer Erhart

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS - November 17 & 18

**4:30:** Bob Buss, Phil & Sue Fuerst, Bob Gerdeman, Sue Gerdeman, Tara Gerding, Mel Hanneman, Grace Haselman, Becky Lucke, McKayla Maag

**8:00:** Mary Grote, Darlene Hanneman, Dave & Jane Kahle, Dianna Kehres, Jane Kleman, Bob & Annette Meyer, Karl & Darlene Miller

**Ministers to Homebound:** Joan Peck

**11:00:** Bill Hill, Shane Hill, Mark Kahle, Halie Kaufman, Erin Kerner, Deb Knueve, Stacy Knueve, Mike Krouse, Mandy Lambert, Lauren Langhals

### SERVERS

Tues, 11/13	8:00 AM	Dyllan Bendele Dominic Bockrath Kendal Bockrath Drew Buss
Wed, 11/14	8:00 AM	Brooke Erhart Ryan Fischnich
Thurs, 11/15	7:30 PM	Nick Foppe Grant Helmke
Fri, 11/16	8:00 AM	Josh & Noah Verhoff Paul von der Embse Zach von der Embse
Sat, 11/17	4:30 PM	Grant & Jasmine Vorst Trevor Vorst
Sun, 11/18	8:00 AM	Ella Wehri, Kamryn Wurth



### Check Out This Movie on FORMED.org

This is the amazing story of Sister Pascalina Lehnert (1894-1983), who was the personal confidant and secretary to Pope

Pius XII for forty years, when he was the papal nuncio in Germany, and then for his whole pontificate. The Pope had great confidence in her wisdom, energy, and loyalty, and she became known as "the most powerful woman in the history of the Vatican." To access

[formed.org](http://formed.org), look under "Recent Bulletins" on [stmichaels.org](http://stmichaels.org) for the link and create an account if you haven't already done so.



**THANK YOU,  
VETERANS**



# Saint Michael Catholic Church, Kalida, Ohio

Sunday, November 11, 2018

Pastor: Fr. Mark Hoying, C.P.P.S. In Residence: Fr. Elmer Wurth, M.M. Parochial Vicar: Fr. Rick Friebe, C.P.P.S.  
Deacon: Bob Klausing DRE: Connie Cleemput Youth Minister: Jill Zeller Maintenance: Kevin Fischer  
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## FRESHMEN RETREAT 2018



### ORANGE TEAM

**L-R:**  
Blake Eickholt  
Jakob Swyers  
Amanda Unverferth  
Brandt Brinkman  
Cole Nienberg

### BLUE TEAM

**Bottom Row:**  
Adam Siefker  
Grace Niemeyer  
Noah Verhoff  
**Top Row:**  
Kenzie Fortman



### GREEN TEAM

**Back Row:**  
Justin Siebeneck  
Ryan Klausing  
Gabe Roof  
**Front Row:**  
Ella Wehri



**RED TEAM**  
**Back Row:**  
Grant Vorst  
Brooke Vennekotter  
**Front Row:**  
Logan Bockrath  
Peyton Wurth







From the Desk of Fr. Mark

Hi, everyone.

In 1974, the year I graduated, there was a popular song that many of you may remember, "Billie, Don't Be a Hero." It was a catchy song about a girl who pleaded with her boyfriend who was in the army to stay away from danger. He volunteered for a dangerous duty and never came home to his girlfriend. The song was popular at the end of the Vietnam War and many people came to love the song. For all you young people, check out this sappy song on youtube.

As I reflected on the saints on All Saints Day and on many of those who have died from our parish this past year, I encountered many a hero. There are people who live life to the full and are on the front lines of being an authentic Christian. They don't try to be heroes, they just are by living a life for others. As I thought about the words to "Billie, Don't Be a Hero," I thought of how that attitude might have crept into how we live our Christian lives. If I just play it safe, life will be better. Let someone else do the heavy work, the challenging and sometimes dangerous work so that I can live a safe life. The problem is that we are called to carry crosses and go the extra mile for our neighbors. A Christian life is not a safe life.

Sunday is November 11. Our country celebrates those men and women who have served our country so that we could have peace. On the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month, a peace treaty was signed to end World War One. November 11 is a day when our country celebrates heroes, our veterans. Take some time to pray for veterans this week. They inspire us to go beyond our comfort level so that others may have a better life.

As I thought of our military personnel, I thought of so many heroes on so many levels. Thanks to first responders, moms and dads, the person who volunteers in our community to make sure our community is so good. Thanks to the Christian who stands up for what is right and good. Thanks to the person who stands up for God.

Have a blessed week, everyone. Thank a hero. Be a hero. Be a Christian.

*Fr. Mark*

**Want to Become a Lector at Mass?**

For anyone interested in becoming a lector, there will be training on Wednesday November 14, at 8:15 p.m., and on November 17, at 9:00 a.m. Come to the church to begin this important way to serve the Lord and the parish. See you there.

Mass Intentions for the Week	
<b>MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12</b>	<i>St. Josaphat</i>
<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>COMMUNION SERVICE</b>
<b>TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13</b>	<i>St. Frances Xavier Cabrini</i>
<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>Gene Stechschulte</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14</b>	
<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>Deceased Members of CLC</b>
<b>THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15</b>	
<b>7:30 PM</b>	<b>Special Intention, Leo &amp; Irene Schnipke</b>
<b>FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16</b>	
<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>Matilda Hohenbrink</b>
<b>SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17</b>	<i>St. Elizabeth of Hungary</i>
<b>4:30 PM</b>	<b>Bob Brinkman, Luke Stechschulte Carl Webken, Jim &amp; Helen Knueven Ron &amp; Dorothea Averagesch, Herk Selhorst Tom Wannemacher, Don &amp; Joyce Jerwers Norman von der Embse, Jim Kahle Walter &amp; Mary Vennekotter Family L/D Virgil &amp; Clara Horstman Family</b>
<b>SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18</b>	
<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>Emily Kahle, Frank &amp; Mary Wehri</b>
<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>Else Burgei, Mike Burgei Mike Feldman, George Grone</b>

**Last Sunday’s Collection:** \$ 11,381.50

**Choir Assignments - November 17 & 18**

**4:30:** YAHS    **8:00:** Laura    **11:00:** PW

**Holy Name Choir**

Please bring Christmas music folders to choir practice on Monday, Nov. 12.

**Communion Services on Mondays**

St. Michael's has begun Communion Services rather than Mass at 8:00 a.m. on Mondays. Come join us to share scriptures and distribution of Holy Communion.

**Collection for Heartbeat of Ottawa**

We are collecting items for the new “Heartbeat of Ottawa.” There will be boxes at the entrances of church. Thanks, in advance, for your support! Items are: Baby Shampoo, Baby Wash, Baby Wipes, Socks, Booties, Bibs, Hats, Bottles, Baby toys, Baby books, Diapers (newborn, size 4 & 5 are in most need), Onesies (newborn, 3,6, & 9 months), Sleepers/ Sleep ‘n Play (3, 6, & 9 months), Formula (Gerber or Parent’s Choice) and Parenting Books.

**Women’s Retreat in January**

There will be a women's retreat from January 26-27, 2019, called Christ Renews His Parish (C.R.H.P.). It is a spiritual weekend, designed to help you grow in your faith with God and to form new friendships with your fellow parishioners. This is for women of all ages, and it is a very moving and rewarding weekend. There will be limited openings, so if you want to reserve a spot, or just want more information, call Kelly Webken (419-863-0168) or Joanne Horstman (419-234-3204).

**Mission Festival Results**

You helped us raise \$8,201.47 for Project Bethlehem (Catholic Charities) and the Precious Blood Reconciliation Center in Chicago: Thanks to everyone who helped in any way, as we increased the amount raised from last year!

**K of C Community Thanksgiving Dinner**

This Sunday, November 11, at the Kalida K of C Hall. We will begin serving from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m., or until the Turkey & Trimmings give out! As the weather gets cold and wet, come inside for some fellowship and a tasty, economical meal with the Knights.

**CLC Meeting - November 12, at 7:00 p.m.**

...in the church basement. We will be in the first classroom on the other side. "Dealing With Life Pressures" is the topic for our speaker. November & December birthdays honored. Join your CLC Sisters and come to the meeting!

**Recent Baptism**

**GRANT DOUGLAS SCHROEDER**

Son of Derek & Emily (Hill) Schroeder

**Thank You**

The family of Bob Winkle would like to extend our sincere thanks for your sympathy and prayers for our dad. Thank you, Fr. Mark, for your time spent with dad. Thanks, also, to the choir and to the Helping Hands ladies for the desserts at the luncheon.

**Attention Women of the Parish**

You are invited to the Magnificat Ministry Breakfast on Saturday, December 1, at 9:30 a.m., at the Old Barn Out Back, Lima. Ellen Millott will speak on the topic of taking risks and of her calling to the needs of Tanzania. \$10 includes breakfast. A copy of Ellen’s novel, Full of Clover, will be available for a freewill donation to her mission. Call Kay Smith (419-339-8971) for reservations or mail a check to: **Magnificat Breakfast; 2825 Hummingbird; Elida, OH 45807.**

**PCYMCA Aerobics**

Cardio, Toning, & Stepping for all levels on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 6:15-7:00 p.m., at the Kalida Grade School cafeteria. Next session: November 12 – December 5. Cost is \$20. Any questions or to register, call Lisa (419-532-2339).

**Sacred Music Unveiled at Ottoville**

**A 3-Part Event at Immaculate Conception, on Sunday, December 2, at 3:00 p.m.** Join a choir of young adults from the Toledo Diocese, Antwerp, and Fort Wayne as they share the joy and beauty of sacred music in liturgy and concert! From the beloved chant, *O Come O Come Emmanuel*, to the haunting carol, *Lully Lulla Lullay*, to Pitoni’s dance-like *Cantate Domino*, this concert will fill the church with Advent music that has echoed down through the centuries. All are welcome! Bring your entire family and enjoy some beautiful Christmas music! Free and open to the public.

**Part I: The Mass:** Sunday, December 2, at 10:30 a.m., at Immaculate Conception, Ottoville

**Part II: The Concert:** In the church at 3:00 p.m.

**Part III: The Seminar:** Immediately following the concert

**Students Planning Mass This Week...**

are Annette Schroeder's 2C class on Wednesday, November 14, and Joyce Bonifas's 7A class on Friday, Nov. 16.

**High School CCD - November 14**

All students have class at 7:00 p.m.

**Christmas School and Poster Contest**

Saturday, December 1, from 9:00a.m. - Noon, at the Kalida K of C Hall. More details will be sent home soon. It is for children kindergarten thru fourth grade. Sponsored by St. Michael’s and the Kalida Knights of Columbus.

**Help in Building a Strong Catholic Family**

The diocese is promoting a process program called “Strong Catholic Families, Strong Catholic Youth.” There is an upcoming session in Ottoville Immaculate Conception on Saturday, November 17, beginning at 9:00 a.m., in the Parish Center Fitness Room. You can learn of many resources for bringing your “domestic church” (your family) closer to God. For parents grandparents, godparents, couples...anyone! RSVP to Renee Kelch (419-453-3513 or [icymistry@bright.net](mailto:icymistry@bright.net)). Visit [catholicfamilyfaith.org](http://catholicfamilyfaith.org) for more information.

**People Needed to Shovel Snow**

If you are willing to volunteer and help remove snow from the steps of church this winter, please contact our Head of Maintenance, Kevin Fischer.

**Kalida PTO Gift Cards**

The First PTO gift card order for the year will be sent in on Monday, November 12, and will be delivered approximately one week later. Two other orders will go in before Christmas. The order forms can be picked up at the Elementary office or found at the following link: <http://kalidaschools.org/cms/uploads/file/PTO/Scrip1819.pdf> Thank you for your support of the PTO which is helping raise money for new Elementary playground equipment.

**Know Someone Who Has Made A Positive Impact on Children?**

In 2015, Kalida Local Schools established The Gene Stechschulte Award to honor Gene’s lifetime contributions to youth and to recognize others who have made a positive impact on our children. They are again seeking nominations for the next presentation of the award. Information on the qualifications and the nomination process can be found on the school’s webpage or in any of the school offices. Deadline for nominations is January 1.

**Basketball Ticket Sales at Kalida**

Boys Basketball Season Ticket Sales will be held on Monday, November 5, and Tuesday, November 6, at the high school event entrance, near the Auditoria, from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. Basketball Season Passes: Student - \$40; Adult - \$60 (preferred seat additional \$20 per); Sr. Citizen - \$40 (preferred seat additional \$10 per). General Admission Prices: Adult/College Student - \$6; Elementary & HS Students - \$4; Senior Citizen age 60+ - \$4. Junior High Games: Adult - \$4; Student - \$3; ALL PCL & HOME GAMES PRESALE: Adults \$6 and Students \$4 ALL TICKETS AT THE DOOR: \$6. Please note: We do not sell girls' season tickets or have presale for the girls' games. Tickets are \$6 and \$4 at the door.