

MONDAY, APRIL 21 (Offices are Closed)
ROSARY FOR PEACE: 1:30 pm in church
HOLY NAME MEETING: 8:00 pm
THURSDAY, APRIL 24
ROSARY: 7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY, APRIL 25
CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY: 3:00 pm in church

YES (Youth Elect Service) Job Sites

On Saturday, June 7, 2025, teens & adults from the St. George Deanery will be volunteering to help people throughout Putnam County with various jobs around their homes as they participate in the annual YES (Youth Elect Service) project. If you would like a team of youth and adults to help with jobs around your home, please contact Jill Zeller @ 567-376-9115. Work can include anything from mulching, weeding, to washing your car, or just some spring cleaning around your yard! Please call soon, so we can make sure to have a team available to help at your house.

YES (Youth Elect Service) Youth Volunteers

Saturday, June 7, 2025: The 2025 YES service project will be hosted by Ottawa Sts. Peter & Paul. Current 7th grade students through graduating seniors are encouraged to join us for this day of service. You will meet teens from throughout the St. George Deanery, have fun, and be the hands and feet of Christ in your community. Registration forms are available on St. Michael website under the Youth Tab or from Jill Zeller @ 567-376-9115. Registrations are due by May 23.

YES (Youth Elect Service) Adult (Crew Leader) Help Needed

Do you like to spend time helping those in need? We'd love for you to join us as an ADULT CREW LEADER for the YES Service Project on Saturday, June 7, 2025 hosted by Sts. Peter & Paul, Ottawa and working throughout the county. Adult crew leaders must be at least 21. Parents, Grandparents and Confirmation Sponsors: it would be great to work on a team with your child or grandchild. Nothing is more rewarding than sharing your time and faith with the Young Church of Today! Registration forms are available on St. Michael website under the Youth Tab, or contact Jill Zeller @ 567-376-9115. Registrations are due by May 23, 2025.

YES (Youth Elect Service) Project Donations

Donations are always appreciated! Nothing is more rewarding than sharing your time and faith with others, but if you are unable to help on YES Project Work Day, maybe you would be willing to help support our Project? Monetary donations and work supplies are always appreciated. Maybe you could donate a case of water or a case of paper towels, etc. Please contact Tanya Ellerbrock for ideas of what supplies we need most. Monetary donations can be sent to Sts. Peter & Paul, 307 Locust St. Ottawa, OH 45875 or call your parish's Youth Minister Jill Zeller @ 567-376-9115 to arrange a pick-up or drop off for your donation. Thank you!

Kalida Garage Sales - April 24, 25 & 26

Maps will be available at area businesses this week!

Kalida EMS Chicken BBQ

Sunday, April 27, 2025
 11:00 until gone— \$12/meal
 No presale—pickup behind fire station
 Thank you for your continued support!

Umpires Needed for Kalida Little League

If you are interested in umpiring, please contact Craig Recker (419-231-5401). Umpires do receive compensation.

Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors - April 26 & 27

4:30: PB: Ryan Buss, Mark Kahle
 Lori Erhart, Brandon Erhart, Alex Gardner, Nathan Kahle
LECTOR: Amy Wannemacher
8:00: PB: Janice Foppe, Dave Kahle
 Ruth Foppe, Lynda Fortman, Erica Kahle, Dave Buss
LECTOR: Shelly Burkhart
Ministers to Homebound: Mary Siefker
11:00: PB: Sandy & Mike Westrick
 Evelyn Burgei, Michelle Buss, Regina Fischnich, Ryan Fischnich
LECTOR: Brenda Averagesch

SERVER SCHEDULE

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| Tues, 4/22 | 8:00 AM | Lauren Knueve Lily Krouse |
| Wed, 4/23 | 8:00 AM | Ethan Langhals Bryn Michel |
| Thurs, 4/24 | 7:30 PM | Allie Rampe Will Recker |
| Fri, 4/25 | 8:00 AM | Miley Schulte Colt Schumaker |
| Sat, 4/26 | 4:30 PM | Reese Strauer Avrie Unverferth Quinn Unverferth |
| Sun, 4/27 | 8:00 AM | Rylee Unverferth Madison Unverferth Nathan Wannemacher |
| | 11:00 AM | Mallory Unverferth Zach Unverferth Parker Vorst |

Offertory Bearers - April 26 & 27

4:30: Josh & Mary Horstman Family
8:00: Herm & Rita Borgelt Family
11:00: Doug & Amy Wannemacher Family

USHERS - April 26 & 27

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

Volunteers Needed at Challenged Champions

Challenged Champions Equestrian Center (11913 Road 6, Ottawa) is a nonprofit therapeutic horseback riding center that helps over 450 individuals annually with special needs. Many volunteers are needed during our riding lessons. The volunteers participate in classes by being horse leaders (keeping the horse on task throughout the lesson) or side walkers (aiding the rider with balance, communication, or encouragement). There is NO horse experience needed. Volunteers must be 14 years or older and be able to walk for an hour. Classes are offered in the mornings, afternoons, and evenings Monday through Friday. Contact our volunteer coordinator at 419-235-0626.



**Upcoming
Wedding**

*Morgan Knapke
and
Zach Fischer*
 will be married on
 April 26, 2025.
 Please include them in
 your prayers.



St. Michael Catholic Church - Kalida, OH - Easter Sunday, April 20, 2025

Pastor: Fr. Phil Smith (psmith@toledodiocese.org)
Deacon: Bob Klausing **DRE:** Connie Cleemput **Youth Minister:** Jill Zeller **Maintenance:** Kevin Fischer
Website: stmichaelskalida.org **Address:** 312 N. Broad St.; Box 387; Kalida, OH 45853
Phone: 419-532-3474 **Email:** stmichaelskalida@gmail.com **Office Hours:** Mon-Thur, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Mass Times for Continental St. John's: Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. and Sundays at 9:30 a.m.



Hello Everyone,

Happy Easter! Thanks for celebrating Easter with Mass at Saint Michael Parish here in Kalida! A very warm welcome to anyone who might be visiting our church for the first time or has not been here in some time. Please know you are always welcome here! I hope you will consider worshipping with us each weekend.

Our parish has partnered with a premier Catholic app *Hallow* to offer to everyone a special opportunity to deepen your relationship with God this Easter season. Hallow is a smartphone app with many Catholic prayers for your choosing and other helpful content that will lead you deeper in your understanding of Jesus and the Catholic faith. Because of our relationship with Hallow, you can receive a 6th month Premium subscription for just \$1. There is also a free version available.

If you are ALREADY on Hallow:

1. Open the Hallow App
2. Navigate to the Community Tab on the bottom of the screen
3. Enter name (if applicable)
4. Search for our parish, Kalida St. Michael
5. Join us!

If you want to sign up for the FREE version of Hallow:

1. Open the APP store on your phone
2. Search for the Hallow app and download
3. Open the app once downloaded and click on the community tab
4. Follow the prompts and search for our parish, Kalida St. Michael
5. Join us!

If you want to sign up for the PREMIUM version (access to everything on the app) for \$1 for six months:

1. Go to hallow.com/parish In order to receive the \$1 six month deal you MUST first go on the website before downloading the app!
2. Search for "Kalida St. Michael" and select our parish
3. Create an account and sign up for \$1 (for six months)
4. THEN, open the app store on your phone
5. Search for the Hallow app and download

6. Open the app once downloaded and click on the community tab
7. Follow the prompts and search for our parish, Kalida St. Michael
8. Join us!

May the peace of the Risen Jesus fill our hearts, our homes, and our world!

God Bless,
Father Phil Smith
Pastor

| Upcoming Mass Schedule | |
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| TUESDAY, APRIL 22 | |
| 8:00 AM | Carolyn Unverferth, John & Catherine Kahle Successful Surgery |
| WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23 | |
| 8:00 AM | Ron Edelbrock (HN) |
| THURSDAY, APRIL 24 | |
| 7:30 PM | Gene Stechschulte, Joan Schimmoeller |
| FRIDAY, APRIL 25 | |
| 8:00 AM | Wilbur & Mildred Remlinger |
| SATURDAY, APRIL 26 | |
| 4:30 PM | NM Knapke & Fischer L/D Virgil & Clara Horstman Family Alvin, Brandon & Harold Horstman Charles & Judy Nussbaum Dan Siefker & Family, Hubert & Irma Pohlman Allen Schroeder, Vincent Verhoff Jim Hamilton, Tom L. Siebeneck |
| SUNDAY, APRIL 27 <i>Second Sunday of Easter</i> | |
| 8:00 AM | Bob & Carolyn Warnecke, John Smith Dorothy Miller & Family |
| 11:00 AM | Angie Schroeder, Brian Schroeder Karen Giesige, Deceased members of Giesige Family, Ralph & Dolores Verhoff 55th W.A. Gary & Kathy Ehrnsberger |

Last Week's Collection: \$ 14,480.30

Last Week's Improvement Fund: \$ 4,355.00

Choir Assignments - April 26 & 27

4:30: Ashleigh **8:00:** Ashleigh **11:00:**



Welcome to the Catholic Faith!

Back Row: Fr. Phil and the Sponsors of the Candidates: Carlie Rampe, Lindsey Slusser, Nathan Schmidt & Amanda Kerner

Front Row (new members of the Catholic Faith): Kelly Lambert, Gavin Gehres, Megan Cleemput, Tim Vogt and Tyler Dockery

Thank you to our RCIA team members: Phil Fuerst, Greg Zeller, Aleasha Kahle, Megan Unverferth, Brandy Schroeder, Marv Kromer & Sue Fuerst



Our Condolences

The Funeral Mass for

Ron Edelbrock

was held on

Wednesday, April 16.

Please include

Ron and his family

in your prayers.



Our Condolences

The Funeral Mass for

Joan Schimmoeller

was held on

Wednesday, April 16.

Please include

Joan and her family

in your prayers.

Easter Prayer Challenge with Hallow

This Easter, embrace the freedom of the Resurrection as we pray with Sr. Miriam and other exciting guests through the spiritual classic, Interior Freedom by Fr. Jacques Philippe. In each session, we'll learn how to walk in freedom amidst the circumstances of our daily lives, let go of external attachments, and discover the peace that comes with trusting in God's love and grace. The series is available to all parishioners through the Community tab in the app. If you need help finding this challenge or getting set up on Hallow, please contact Adriene Swyers (419.796.0355) or Jessica Recker (419.796.4707).

Eucharistic Revival Nights

Keep the spark of the Eucharistic Revival going during these monthly meetings as we journey together as a community during the Eucharistic Revival Year of Mission. Previous attendance is not required to attend these revival nights. Eucharistic Revival Nights will be held the fourth Mondays of each month, with a 7:00 p.m. rosary in church, and a revival presentation and discussion from 7:30 - 8:30 p.m. in the church basement. Join us at the next Eucharistic Revival Night on Monday, April 28, 2025.

Third Annual Taste of Kalida

Wednesday, June 4, 2025

Pre-Sale Tickets only - on sale soon!!

Recent Baptism

ISAIAH BRIAN ROEBKE

Son of Logan & Mariah (Doepker) Roebke

Right to Life Thank You

Putnam County Right to Life would like to thank everyone who supported us at our garage and bake sale this year. Our sale was a great success! We thank all who supported us by donating baked goods and gently used items, those who came to the sale to purchase items, the Ottawa K of C for use of their hall again, and for Marilyn and the Knights who helped us clean up on Wednesday afternoon. We are so thankful to all the volunteers who helped us in any way, from advertising the sale to helping us set up on Sunday and Monday, during the sale, and take down on Wednesday. We could not do this without them. We want to give special thanks to the students who helped us set up, take down or helped us each day. We also thank those who delivered unsold items to places where they would be used. God bless all of you! Our next meeting will be Wednesday, May 7, at 7:30 p.m. in St Michael's Church basement. All are welcome.

Catechists Needed for Next School Year

Looking to bring fulfillment to your life by sharing the faith with our youth. Our grade 5 and grade 8 students are looking for someone to walk with them on their faith journey. Is God calling you? *Connie*

Students Planning Mass This Week...

are Wendy Schimmoeller's grade 5 on Wednesday, April 23 and Annette Gerding and Marv Kromer's grade 7 on Friday, April 25.

First Communion Details

First Communion practice is on April 30, at 7:00 p.m. The children are to come dressed in their First Communion clothes for the group and individual pictures. We will meet in the church basement to line up. First Communion is Sunday, May 4, at 1:00 p.m.

Parish Council Election - April 26 & 27

Here are those who will be on the ballot next weekend. Brenda Averagesch (Eric), Brenda Burgei (Jim), Evelyn Burgei (Jamie), Dave Buss (Shirley), Dave Erhart (Cindy), Regina Fischnich (Bob), Ron Parisi (Susan), Nancy Rampe (Troy), Jason Schumacher (Alissia), Roger Unverferth (Lisa), Barry von der Embse (Beth)

TDCCW Day of Renewal

The Toledo Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will have a "Live a Wonderful Life" **Day of Renewal** for all women on Wednesday, **May 14, 2025** at Our Lady of Consolation Shrine, 315 Clay St., Carey, OH. This spiritual and inspirational retreat will begin with registration at 8:15 a.m. and end at 3:00 p.m. The cost of **\$35 includes a box lunch. Registration closes April 30, 2025.** To register, contact: Rita Borgelt: hborgelt@bright.net or 419-796-9168.



Grill for Sale

The Holy Name is selling an old grill, used at the famous Pioneer Burger tent. If you are interested in making a bid on the grill, please contact Dan Wurth (419-890-6932) or

Ryan Buss (419-615-2453).