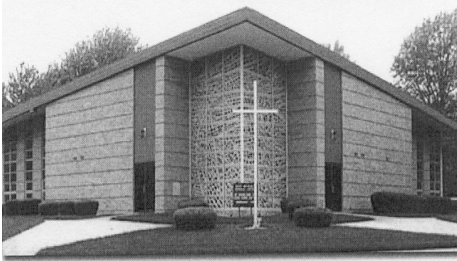


Saint Michael's Parish



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MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of St. Michael's Catholic Parish, are many parts, but one body. As a community of believers in Jesus Christ and inspired by the Holy Spirit, we celebrate the sacraments, are challenged by Sacred Scripture and Roman Catholic Tradition, share of ourselves in service to others, and strive to promote the dignity of all human life and justice for all, as we continue toward the eternal glory of God's kingdom.

FROM THE PASTOR . . .

This weekend, we hear the story of Zacchaeus one of the most familiar and popular readings from the gospels. Zacchaeus very much wanted to see Jesus, but because he was so short in stature he had to climb a tree to achieve his goal. By the same token, because he was a tax collector, he was despised by the people. So it was astounding, that Jesus would call Zacchaeus down from the tree and invite himself to have dinner in his home. By this brave action, Jesus is reaching out to Zacchaeus with love. Zacchaeus's reaction to Jesus is that he wants to change his life.

Because Jesus did not hold Zacchaeus's sins against him, Zacchaeus is able to view everything in his life differently. He is open to changing his whole lifestyle. Jesus showed love to this tax collector, and it profoundly changed him. Jesus wants to do the same for us. We have it in our means as a person to do either one of these dynamics. We can be like Jesus who looks past the short comings of Zacchaeus, or we can be like Zacchaeus and change our lives for the better. Let us open our hearts to the powerful dynamic of repentance and allow it to change our lives as well.

A reminder that this Tuesday, November 1, is the Feast of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. The Mass schedule for this holy day is in the bulletin. Then Wednesday, November 2, is the celebration of All Souls Day. On Wednesday evening, we will celebrate our special Mass of remembrance of the dead at 7:00 pm. Let us celebrate the saints and our deceased loved ones and allow them to intercede for us and our well being.

Peace,
Fr. John

Growing In Faith?: How do I live repentance in my life?

Jubilee Year Of Mercy —

As we approach All Saints Day and All Souls Days we are reminded of not only our loved ones who have died but also of our commitment to how we live our lives while we are still living.

Quoting from Pope Francis's encyclical, *the Joy of the Gospel*, he reminds us, "It is no longer possible to claim that religion should be restricted to the private sphere and thus it exists only to prepare souls for heaven. We know that God wants His children to be happy in this world too, even though they are called to fulfillment in eternity, for He has created 'all things for our enjoyment' (1Tim. 6:17), the enjoyment of everyone. It follows that Christian conversion demands reviewing especially those areas and aspects of life related to the social order and the pursuit of the common good."

Wouldn't it be great if such things as discord, injustice or even discrimination would be replaced by cooperation, living justly, or respecting one another, no matter who they are or where they come from?



Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time October 30, 2016

My soul is thirsting for the living
God.



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4:00 P.M. Saturday or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

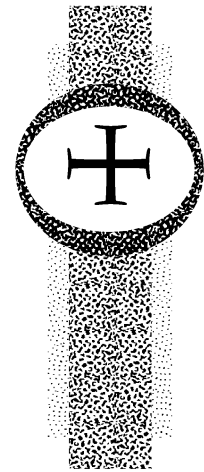
Contact the office to set a date.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Wedding dates are set after
an initial interview with Fr. John.

Calendar for the Week of October 31-November 6

Monday	Oct. 31	FEAST OF ALL SAINTS	5:30 pm	Mass in memory of Randy & Carol Musich
Tuesday	Nov. 1	FEAST OF ALL SAINTS	8:15 am 9:30 am 7:00 pm	School Mass in memory of Edwin "Bud" Skalla and Mary Jo Lauer Mass in memory of Luella Hull at Elm Crest Mass in memory of Barbara Stracke
Wednesday	Nov. 2	ALL SOULS DAY	6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Sponsor-Candidate meeting for 10th grade Confirmation in Gym Faith Formation Classes Grades K-9, 11-12 Mass in memory of those people listed on our scroll
Thursday	Nov. 3		7:00 am 12:00 noon	Scripture Study in Parish Office Meeting Room Mass for a Special Intention
Friday	Nov. 4		8:15 am <hr/> 12:00 noon	School Mass in memory of Mary Ann Kenkel First Friday Adoration Benediction
Saturday	Nov. 5		4:00 pm 4:30 pm 5:00 pm	Confessions Rosary Mass in memory of Russ Lefeber, Lois Goetzinger & Jason Nielsen and Leo & Lucine Klein
Sunday	Nov. 6		8:30 am 11:00 am 5:00 pm	Mass in memory of Ken Brinker and Marvin Miller Mass for the people of St. Michael's Spanish Mass followed by Potluck



Sunday Mass is televised on cable TV (HMU Channel 15 at 4:00 pm on Sunday, Monday, and Wednesday, on Mediacom Channel 18 at 4:00 pm on Monday, and on FMCTC Channel 48 at 4:00 pm on Monday.) Sunday Mass is also available on demand by accessing the Harlan Knights of Columbus channel on YouTube.

Grant Eternal Rest, O Lord, To: — Verena Coenen of our parish.

Thanksgiving Day Mass — We have not scheduled servers, lectors, or Eucharistic ministers for this Mass. If you will be in town and can help with any of these ministries, please sign the sheet in the back of church. Thanks for your help on this.

Confirmation Project — The tub in the back of church is for a group of Confirmation students who are working on their Confirmation service project. They would like to collect new or gently used blankets and deliver them to West Central Development to help the needy here in Shelby County. The tub will be in the back of church throughout the next several months. Spencer Dozler, Ethan Leinen, and Ethan Tepe thank you for your support and any contribution you can give to this project.

Clothing Drive — It has been several years since we have had this collection for Siena/ Francis House in Omaha. It is time once again to clean your closets and see if you have any good used clothing that could be used by the homeless and those very much in need. Clothing in any size for men, women, and children of all ages would be greatly appreciated. This year you might also consider sheets and pillow cases or kitchen items such as silverware, plates, and coffee cups. You can bring your items in sacks or boxes to the parish center any time during school hours. Please use the east school door. You can also bring your items before or after Mass on the weekends of November 5-6 and 12-13. Please bring all items before November 20.

Food Pantry Collection — next weekend, November 5-6.

Remember The Sick In Your Prayers And By Your Notes Or Visits —

Violet Bohr	Gary Kenkel	Gordon Nelson
Joe Gubbels	Curt Coenen	Aggie Gaul
Kathy Carl	David Updike	Alice Carey
Kenny Kenkel	Arden Riley	Bonnie Peterson
Grace Marshall	Michelle Willenborg-Marshall	
Anna Mae Kramer		

Please call the office with names of those who are sick, or in need of our prayers. And please call when their names can be removed.

Readings For The Week —

Mon.	31st	Phil 2:1-4		Lk 14:12-14
Tue.	1st	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14	1Jn 3:1-3	Mt 5:1-12a
Wed.	2nd	Wis 3:1-9	Rom 6:3-9	Jn 11:17-27
Thur.	3rd	Phil 3:3-8a		Lk 15:1-10
Fri.	4th	Phil 3:17-4:1		Lk 16:1-8
Sun.	6th	2Mc 7:1-2, 9-14	2Thes 2:16-3:5	Lk 20:27-38

Titling — October 23	\$ 7,536
Needed each week	7,308
Difference	228
	() if deficit
Year to date	\$ (7,838)

Book Of Remembrance — will be placed on the podium in the front of church. Please enter any names of those you would like remembered who have died since last November. Names entered from past years are still in the book. We will pray for these people during the November Masses.



St. Michael's Faith Formation

ST. MICHAEL, PRAY FOR US

Upcoming Dates

Nov. 2 6:30 pm	Sponsor-Candidate meeting for 10th Grade Confirmation students in the gym. Special Needs Class in the Rectory Classes for Grades K-9, 11-12
Nov. 9 6:30 pm	Classes for Grades K-5, 7-12 6th Grade carpools to Earling for Holy Door and the Saints presentation
Nov. 13 11:00 am	7th Grade Class Mass (Flames singing.)
Nov. 16 6:30 pm	Classes Grades K-1, 3-12 2nd Grade First Reconciliation in Church
Nov. 23	THANKSGIVING BREAK. No Classes.
Nov. 30 6:30 pm	Classes for Grades K-12

Parents — Please remember to let us know if your child will not be in class. Special events are not a night off! Please schedule other activities on Wednesdays that we do not meet.

Catholic Youth Camp — registration is opening soon! This year, CYC wants to make sure families can better plan their summers by launching registration earlier. In fact, registration is just around the corner on **November 15 at noon!** CYC 2017 dates are available on our website: stmcenter.com. CYC is for students entering third grade through high school graduation. Coupons are available from the Ladies Guild. Contact Veronica at 755-5366 for more information.

October Respect Life Month Roses — Moved by mercy this week we remember and pray for those thinking of suicide, families of a suicide, and those suffering from any form of violence. (The roses are placed on the table by the picture of our Lady of Guadalupe in the entrance of the church.)

Eucharistic Adoration — is this Friday, November 4. There is a sign up sheet in the back of church. We need someone present at all times whenever the host is exposed. Come if you can and spend some time with your Lord in prayer.



Jubilee Year Of Mercy — Pope Francis states that "Mercy is the very foundation of the Church's life. All of her pastoral activity should be caught up in the tenderness she makes present to believers; nothing in her preaching and in her witness to the world can be lacking in mercy. The Church's very credibility is seen in how she shows merciful and compassionate love. The church has an endless desire to show mercy."



Vocations Corner

Priesthood Sunday — is October 30, and is a good day to thank or remember any priest who has blessed your life in any way. Pray for all our priests that God may bless them and fill them with His love and mercy in their ministry to all of God's children. Pray for those priests who have died, and pray for those who God is calling to the priesthood. Pray.

Shelby County Catholic School News

Tribute to Harvest is Saturday, November 5, at St. Mary's Hall in Portsmouth. Staley's Broasted Chicken Dinner will be served from 6:00-7:30 pm. This year the grand prize winner will receive \$10,000. Get your tickets now from any SCCS representative for a chance at this great prize or 5 additional prizes of \$100 each. Only 900 tickets will be sold at \$50 each. The auction follows dinner.

Area Events —

- **Habitat for Humanity Omelet Breakfast** will be served this Sunday, October 30, from 6:00 am –12:30 pm at the American Legion building in Harlan. Adults \$7 —Children 4-12 \$4 —under 4 free
- **Honor Our Veterans** at a free will donation breakfast at the Veterans Auditorium in Harlan on November 6, from 7:00 am until noon. The menu is scrambled eggs, bacon, biscuits and gravy, and toast. There will also be a bake sale.
- **Scott Hahn, noted author and speaker**, will be at St. Wenceslas Catholic Church (15353 Pacific Street) in Omaha on Saturday, November 12. His topic is *Jubilee of Divine Mercy: Finishing Strong*. Mass will begin at 8:30 am with his presentations to follow.
- **St. Mary's Church in Avoca** is hosting their annual fall Staley's Chicken Dinner and bake sale on Sunday, November 13, from 11:00 am –1:30 pm. Adults tickets \$10 — Children Ten and Under \$5

Remembering The Dead — This time of year, we especially remember loved ones who have died since last November 1. The names of those who were members of the parish, or whose funeral was here, will be placed on a scroll before the altar. On Wednesday, November 2, during the 7:00 pm Mass, we will read the names of the deceased and invite members of the family to come forward with a candle bearing the name of their loved one. We also invite others who have lost a loved one this past year, but whose loved one was not buried from here, to have a candle displayed. If you would like a candle in memory of your loved one, call the office, and we will prepare one.

Ministry Schedule

Nov. 5-6	Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Sunday 8:30 a.m.	Sunday 11:00 a.m.
1st Lector 2nd Lector	Elaine Sprague Kathy Hull	Rhonda Buck Bonnie Kenkel	David Erlbacher Joan Schechinger
Eucharistic Ministers	Jan Blum (T) Joyce Thraen Ron Muenchrath Joe Klein Jane Klein Kathy Hull Rachel Blum	Julie Juhl (T) Alan Kenkel Jo Kenkel Maxine Kwapiszeski Jim Kohles Doug Baker Mary Baker	Jenny Moser (T) Shari Heese Michelle Custer Kathy Campbell Cheryl Long Cindy Pattee Janice Calhoon
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Musicians Cantors			Chris Larsen Beth Klein
Ushers	Don Stowe Rodney Bengford Lisa Bengford Leo Goeser	Tom Schmitz Bev Schmitz Chuck Buhman Dale Swanson	Marcus Gross, Jr. Eric Schmidt Chloe Schmidt Gary Wehs
Nov. 6	E.M. Elm Crest Dan Schechinger Joan Schechinger	E.M. Private Homes Mike Wilwerding Traci Wilwerding	Money Counters Joe Tunender Sherry Krantz Bill Coldwell

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