



Saint Michael Byzantine Catholic Church

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Holy Mystery of Reconciliation Available before/after liturgies.
Holy Mysteries of Initiation Contact the parish office.
Holy Mystery of Anointing Contact the parish office.
Holy Mystery of Marriage Contact the parish office at least 8 months prior to wedding.
Religious Education Classes Tuesdays at 6:15 p.m. at the hall.
Youth Group All youth welcome; see Keri Vokish.
GCU Lodge 360 Welcoming members to join; see Ed Stanko.
St. Michael's Civic Club Welcoming members to join; see Bill Ohlin.
St. Michael Hall, 405 Robinson Road Bogeys Catering - Melvin McKee 330-770-7770.
St. Michael Cemetery, Sanderson Avenue Call Jerry Shirilla at 330-534-9104.
Your Will Please be so kind as to remember St. Michael's in your last will and testament. This helps to secure our future and a Byzantine Catholic witness to all.

SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGIES: Saturdays 6:00 P.M. Sundays 11:00 A.M.

Pre-Sanctified Liturgy: Wednesdays 6:00 P.M.

The Ladder of Divine Ascent

Saint John Climacus (which means, of the ladder) was a sixth-century saint who entered the Monastery of Saint Catherine at Mount Sinai at age sixteen and dedicated his life to God. Over the course of his years at the monastery he developed a reputation for wisdom, selfdiscipline and an intense desire to grow in holiness.

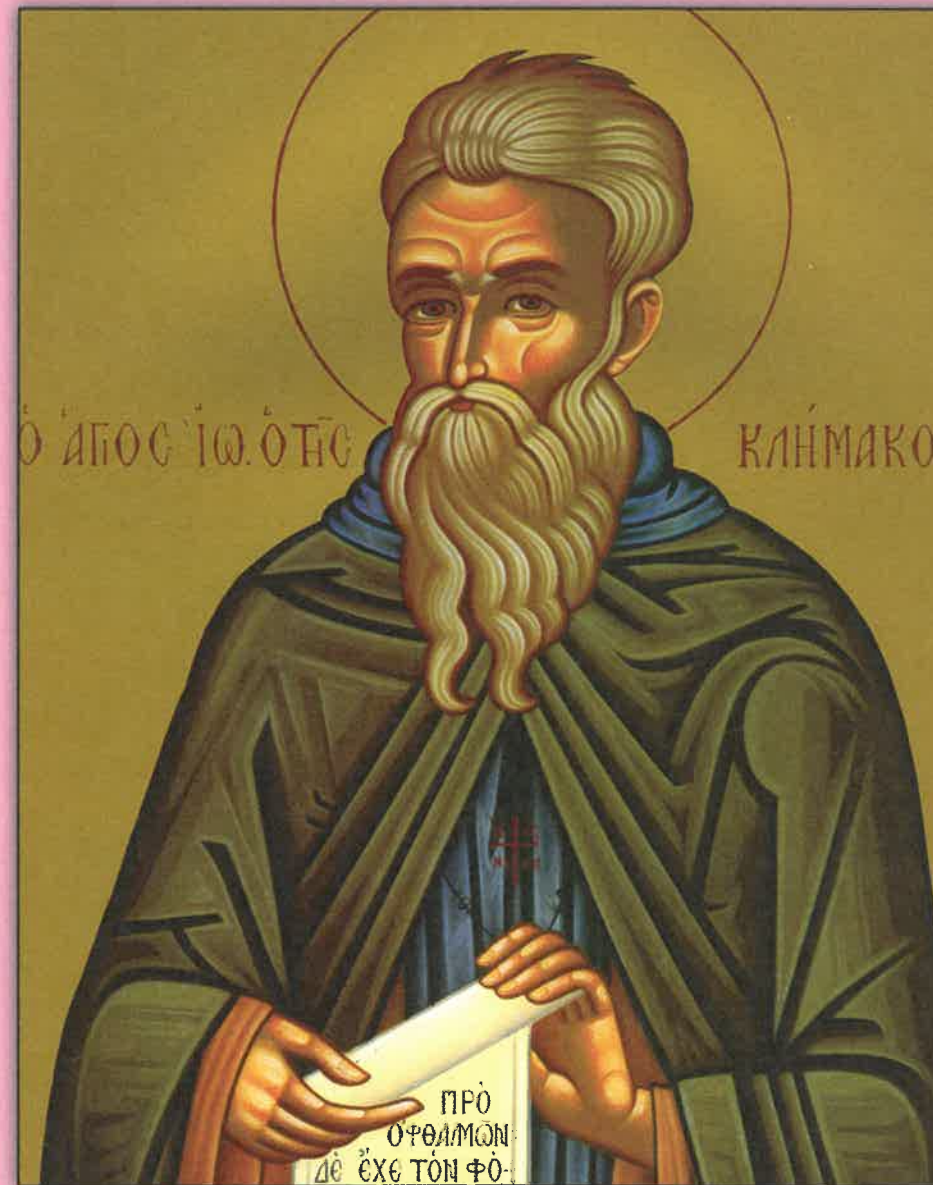
He lived for seventy years at the monastery and eventually became hegumen (abbot). Although Saint John loved his monastery, he preferred solitude and spent many years in the wilderness living the life of a hermit. Even so, he was sought out by many pilgrims who traveled to Mount Sinai in search of this hermit saint and his wisdom.

Saint John is perhaps best known for his

authorship of a book entitled The Ladder of Divine Ascent. Even today, this thirty-chapter book is considered to be one of the most significant spiritual writings of Christian literature. Each of the thirty chapters represents one rung on a symbolic spiritual ladder of perfection leading from earth up to heaven. Thus, each chapter presents the reader with another spiritual exercise through which the highest point of earthly perfection may be reached before being consummated in heaven.

When he died, it was said of him that "his body ascended the heights of Mount Sinai, but his soul ascended the heights of heaven." By his example and through his prayers, may our sights remain high and heavenward as we continue on our Lenten journey.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST SUNDAY OF JOHN CLIMACUS



Icon of Saint John Climacus

Honor The Past,
Give Thanks To The Present,
Ensure The Future!

Glory To Jesus Christ!
Glory Forever!
Slava Isusu Christu!
Slava Na Viki!



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Sat., March 26
6:00 P.M.

(VIGIL SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY)

Thanksgiving: 50th Wedding Anniversary
Of: Jerry & Pauline Shirilla (March 18th)

requested by: Children:
Jennifer & Jeffrey

Sun., March 27

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT
FAST - The Sunday Of St. John Climacus

11:00 A.M.

+Dan Vokish



requested by: Beverly & Richard Wagner

Tues., March 29
6:15 P.M.

ECF Classes At Our St. Michael Hall

Wed., March 30

The 5th Wednesday Of The Great Fast

- No Meat Products OBLIGATED

5:30 P.M.

Confessions Available

6:00 P.M.

The Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy

Fri., April 1

The 5th Friday Of The Great Fast

- No Meat Products OBLIGATED

(6:00 p.m. Pre-Sanctified Liturgy at St. Michael, Hermitage)



Sat., April 2
6:00 P.M.

(VIGIL SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY)

+Paul Mihaly

requested by: Jim & Pam Vasilchek

Sun., April 3

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT
FAST - The Sunday Of St. Mary of Egypt

11:00 A.M.

+Mary Muzina

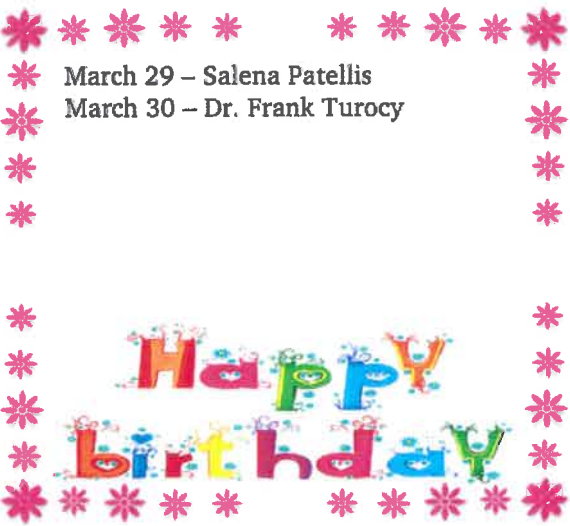
(7th anniversary of passing)

requested by: Daughter: Annette & Dave Hospodar

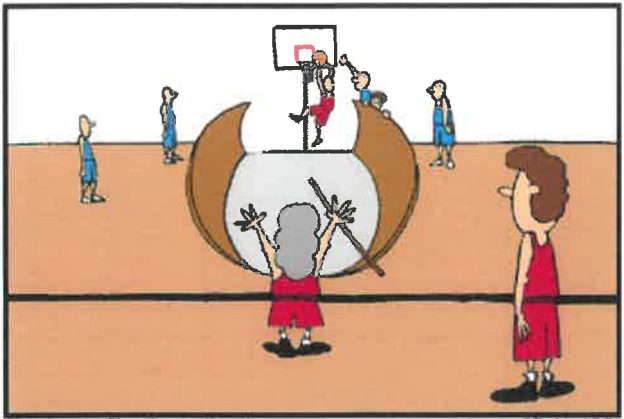
+Mary Lou Macala

(2nd anniversary of passing 4.2)

requested by: Eleanor Kozusko



March 29 – Salena Patellis
March 30 – Dr. Frank Turocy



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Church Tithing From:
March 19 & 20, 2022

Sunday Offering \$1,234.00
Loose Currency \$11.00
Candles \$62.00
BCW \$14.00
Holyday.... \$15.00
TOTAL: \$1,336.00

Church Attendance

Saturday 3/19 – 36 (6:00 pm)
Sunday 3/20 – 71 (11:00 am)
Wednesday 3/23 – 31 (6:00 pm)
Thursday 3/24 – 27 (6:00 pm)



Last Weekend's Roof Donations
March 20 - \$464.00

Pray For Our Homebound, Hospitalized, & In Recovery updated: March 25, 2022

RESIDING AT HOME – Jerry Arendas, John Cochran, Dave Cole, Gerry Dubos, Mike Drotar, Florence Galida, Phillip Igo, Francis Kotasek, Marge Shabella, Patti Pancoe, Steve Zackasee.
Assumption Village (9800 Market Street, North Lima, OH 44452) – Helen Palusak.
St. Mary's Alzheimer's Center (1899 W Garfield Road, Columbiana, OH 44408) – Rosemary Dubos.
Vista Center At The Ridge (3379 Main Street, Mineral Ridge, OH 44440) – Ken Zahorsky.
Windsor House at St. Mary's (1899 W. Garfield Road, Columbiana, OH 44408) – Anne Thomas.
St. Elizabeth Youngstown Hospital (1044 Belmont Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44501) – Nick Ihnat, Jim Testa.



Basketball Word Search



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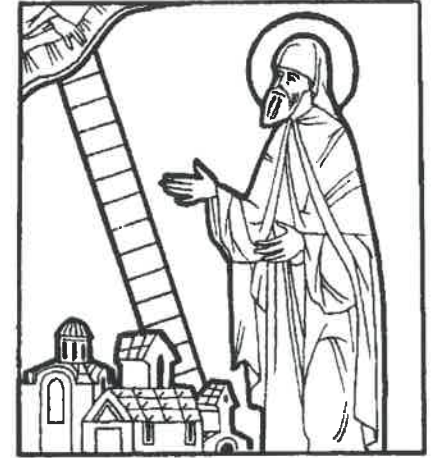
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Why is St. John called "of the Ladder"... What is this Ladder?

Being a monk at the monastery of St. Catherine on Mount Sinai, our venerable father John wrote a book outlining the stages of the spiritual life. He based his entire work on the image of a ladder of thirty rungs, stretching from earth to heaven. Each rung described a step in the pursuit of virtue and the spiritual life. Since it was first written, The Ladder of Divine Ascent has been an essential part of the formation of monastics, and a mainstay of ascetic spirituality. However, the Ladder is not just for monks and nuns because all Christians are called to make an ascent to the heights of heaven. For this reason the Church places the commemoration of Saint John and his Ladder on the Fourth Sunday of the Great Fast, as the faithful continue their ascent with the Lord to Golgotha and through Golgotha to His Heavenly Kingdom.



The 30 Steps of the Ladder of Divine Ascent:

- Steps 1–4: renouncement of the world and obedience to a spiritual father
- Steps 5–7: penitence and affliction as paths to true joy
- Steps 8–17: the defeat of vices and acquisition of virtue
- Steps 18–26: avoidance of the traps of asceticism (laziness, pride, mental stagnation)
- Steps 27–29: acquisition of stillness or peace of the soul, of prayer, and of dispassion
- Step 30: the union of faith, hope, and love

There is a 0.0296% chance
that your child will become a
professional athlete.

There is a 100% chance that your child
will stand before Jesus.

Get them to church

PLAN YOUR HOLY WEEK AROUND CHURCH

Enclosed in today's bulletin is the schedule for Holy Week and Bright Week. It only comes once a year. Strive to attend as most if not ALL the services scheduled. Holy Week is a special week that we should make church our number one priority! Don't miss a great spiritual opportunity to walk vicariously with our Lord through his passion, suffering, death, and Resurrection! And it should be more extra special for you this year, since this is our 100th Year!

Palm Sunday spaghetti dinner in 2 weeks

The annual Palm Sunday Spaghetti Dinner will be on **Sunday, April 10th**. The menu will be wedding soup, spaghetti & meatballs, salad, bread/butter, dessert. The price per dinner for adults is \$12.00; children ages 10 & under is \$6.00. Tickets are now available in the narthex. This will be a take out only dinner. Walk-ins are welcome but pre-orders are encouraged.



Civic Club opens membership to all parishioners

At last Sunday's meeting, the St. Michael's Civic Club decided to open the Club to everyone of the parish: men and women and our youth. You have to be a registered member of our parish. Those interested may attend the next meeting scheduled for Sunday, April 24th at 7:30 p.m. or you may see Bill Ohlin.

Parish youth news

- (1) A visit to Kraynak's Easter Bunny Lane for our parish youth group is being planned for **Friday, April 8th** around 5:30 p.m. Sign-ups will be at ECF class on Tuesday.
- (2) All Parish children are invited to participate in the Palm Sunday weekend, Good Friday and Holy Saturday Processions as a group. On Palm Sunday weekend, they will carry palms and willows and icons. On Good Friday, they will carry the instruments of the passion and icons, and on Holy Saturday, they will carry candles and icons. Participants are asked to gather in the altar server sacristy 15 minutes prior to each service. Sign-ups will be at ECF.
- (3) The "EASTER EGG HUNT" will be on **Easter Sunday, April 17th following the 10:30 a.m. Paschal Divine Liturgy**. Colorful plastic Easter eggs will be filled with goodies and hidden on the front lawn of the Church for our parish youth to find.
- (4) Our parish youth will have an outing at Extreme Air Trampoline Park, Boardman on **Bright Friday, April 22nd** at 6:30 p.m. Kids will enjoy all the activities at the park, free of admission. Any concession stand foods or other necessities will be at your own expense. Also, a liability waiver has to be signed by a parent or guardian for each child before the event. Sign-ups will be at ECF.

Thank You

A very special THANK YOU to ALL who gave towards the special collection for Ukraine and the Eparchy of Mukachevo. Our St. Michael Church sent in **\$2,710.00** for relief help.



Congratulations Jubilarians!

Our St. Michael Church offers Congratulations to parishioners **JERRY & PAULINE SHIRILLA** who are celebrating their 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary. They were married on March 18, 1972. May the Lord God grant to His jubilarians Jerry & Pauline, as they celebrate their golden fiftieth wedding anniversary, peace, health, and happiness for many years, na mnohaja i blahaja l'ita!



New Cemetery manager

Our pastor has appointed parishioner **JERRY SHIRILLA** as our new St. Michael Cemetery manager. Cemetery inquiries or questions may be directed to him by calling him at 330-534-9104. Our St. Michael Church thanks parishioner Jim Testa for his years of managing our cemetery.

In honor of +Mary Lou Macala

Linda Macala and Brian Macala have scheduled a Celebration of the Life of their mother, +Mary Lou Macala, on **April 23rd starting at 6:00 p.m. at our parish hall**. Mary Lou passed away on April 2, 2020, but due to the pandemic there were no calling hours and the Funeral Divine Liturgy was closed. With conditions improving, they have decided the time is now best to celebrate their mom. Mary Lou was very active in our parish and there is not a member of St. Michael's that did not know her. The invitation is extended to St. Michael's members to join the Macala family as they celebrate the life of +Mary Lou. There will be dinner, bar, memories and +Mary Lou's favorite games. If you do wish to attend please RSVP your attendance at rememberingmarylou.com, or contact Brian at his office telephone number: 330-337-7934.

12 Gospels - Alternating each year between the two parishes

One of the traditions of Holy Week is the reading of the 12 passion gospels (Good Friday Matins). It is highlighted by 12 parish men holding candles for each gospel read. Over the past few years, attendance and participation has been poor. Our pastor has decided that this service will be celebrated on Good Friday morning alternating between our church and St. Michael's in Hermitage, with 6 men from Campbell and 6 men from Hermitage participating. This year, the service will be at the Hermitage Church on Good Friday morning at 8:30 a.m. 6 of our parish men are asked to participate by signing up in the narthex.

Guest Confessors available on Holy Tuesday

On **Holy & Great Tuesday, April 12th**, our Parish will have a some visiting priests helping our pastor with confessions following the Pre-Sanctified Liturgy at 6:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Anointing On Holy Wednesday

On **Holy & Great Wednesday, April 13th**, the Sacrament of Holy Anointing will be available to all following the Pre-Sanctified Liturgy at 6:00 p.m.

Holy Thursday Divine Liturgy

On **Holy & Great Thursday evening, April 14th**, we will celebrate the Institution of the Eucharist with Vespers and the Divine Liturgy of our Lord's Mystical Supper at 6:00 p.m.

What should I have in my Easter-Pascha Basket?

Paska- The Easter Bread. Symbolic of Christ Himself, who is our True Bread. Usually a round loaf of bread decorated on the top with a Cross.

Ham- This meat is popular as the main dish because of its richness and symbolic of the great joy and abundance of Pascha-Easter. Meat in the Pascha basket also symbolizes the calf sacrificed when the Prodigal Son returned home; the meat is a celebration of our return to Christ.

Sausage- A spicy, garlicky sausage of pork products, indicative of God's favor and generosity.

Cheese- Sweet cheese; mix farmer cheese with confectionary sugar, raisins, cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg. Indicative of the moderation that Christians should have in all things.

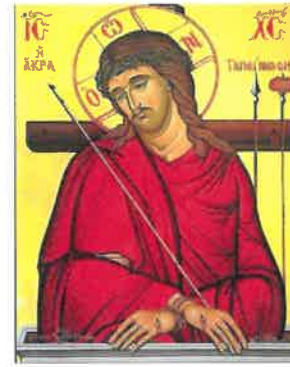
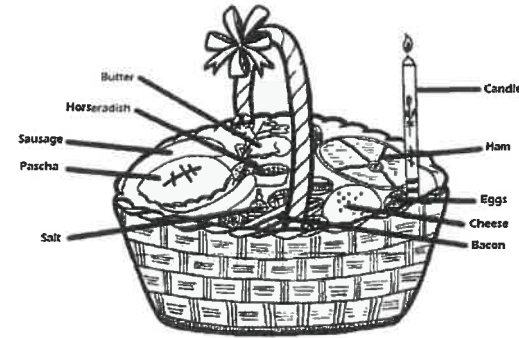
Eggs/Pysanky- Hard boiled eggs-decorated, indicative of new life and Resurrection.

Horseradish- A piece of the root or prepared horseradish with red beets. Symbolic of the Passion of Christ still in our minds but sweetened with some sugar because of the Resurrection. It is also included in the basket to remind us of the bitter drink given to Christ at his crucifixion, vinegar and gall.

Butter- Usually whipped (sometimes flavored with almond), is included in the basket to symbolize the Lamb of God, the Sacrifice made for the world. Some families use a lamb-shaped mold for their butter, which makes the symbolism even stronger.

Salt- A condiment necessary for flavor; reminding the Christian of his duty towards others.

If your family has never taken a Pascha basket to be blessed, the above Easter-Pascha basket traditions may give you some ideas for starting your own. If you regularly prepare a basket for the celebration of the Resurrection, take some time to explain the deep meanings of the foods and their preparation to your children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Everyone will enjoy being involved with the baking, decorating and eating!



2022



Holy Week & Bright Week

Liturgical Schedule

April 11 - 19, 2022

**St. Michael Church, Campbell, OH
&**

St. Michael Church, Hermitage, PA



**** fulfills obligation**

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Holy & Great Tuesday – April 12, 2022

The Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy with guest priests 6:00 p.m.

Holy & Great Wednesday – April 13, 2022

The Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy with Holy Anointing 6:00 p.m.

Holy & Great Thursday – April 14, 2022

Vespers with Divine Liturgy Of Our Lord's Mystical Supper 6:00 p.m.

Holy & Great & Good Friday – April 15, 2022

Entombment Vespers & Candlelight Burial Procession with shroud 5:00 p.m.

Holy & Great Saturday – April 16, 2022

Resurrectional Matins 5:00 p.m.
 with Solemn Blessing of Easter Baskets *(Paschal Foods provided - everyone invited to stay afterwards)*

**EASTER SUNDAY – April 17, 2022

EASTER DIVINE LITURGY 10:30 a.m.

Bright Monday – April 18, 2022

Holyday Liturgy with Procession 6:00 p.m.

Bright Tuesday – April 19, 2022

Holyday Liturgy 6:00 p.m.



Extra Confession Times

Palm Sunday, April 10th 12:00 Noon
 Holy Tuesday, April 12th 7:00 p.m. with
 priest guest confessors

St. Michael Byzantine Catholic Church
 2230 Highland Road, Hermitage, PA
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Holy & Great Monday – April 11, 2022

The Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy 6:00 p.m.

Holy & Great Wednesday – April 13, 2022

The Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy with Holy Anointing 6:00 p.m.
Fr. Michael Huszti, celebrant

Holy & Great Thursday – April 14, 2022

Vespers with Divine Liturgy Of Our Lord's Mystical Supper 11:00 a.m.

Holy & Great & Good Friday – April 15, 2022

Passion Matins (12 gospels) 8:30 a.m.
 Entombment Vespers & Candlelight Burial Procession with shroud 7:30 p.m.

**Holy & Great Saturday – April 16, 2022

Resurrectional Matins & Easter Divine Liturgy 7:30 p.m.
 with Solemn Blessing of Easter Baskets *(Paschal Foods provided - everyone invited to stay afterwards)*

**EASTER SUNDAY – April 17, 2022

EASTER DIVINE LITURGY 8:00 a.m.

Bright Monday – April 18, 2022

Holyday Liturgy with Procession 9:00 a.m.

Bright Tuesday – April 19, 2022

Holyday Liturgy 9:00 a.m.



Extra Confession Times

Holy Monday, April 11th 5:00 p.m.
 Holy Wednesday, April 13th 5:00 p.m.

