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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 Recess until September.
 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. Secure our future.

Christ and the Law

When Christ says to him, “if you would enter life, keep the commandments,” the man expects him to add immediately, “My commandments.” “Which ones?” he asks. He was quite deceived in his expectation. For Christ did not answer him as he expected, but simply pointed him to the law.

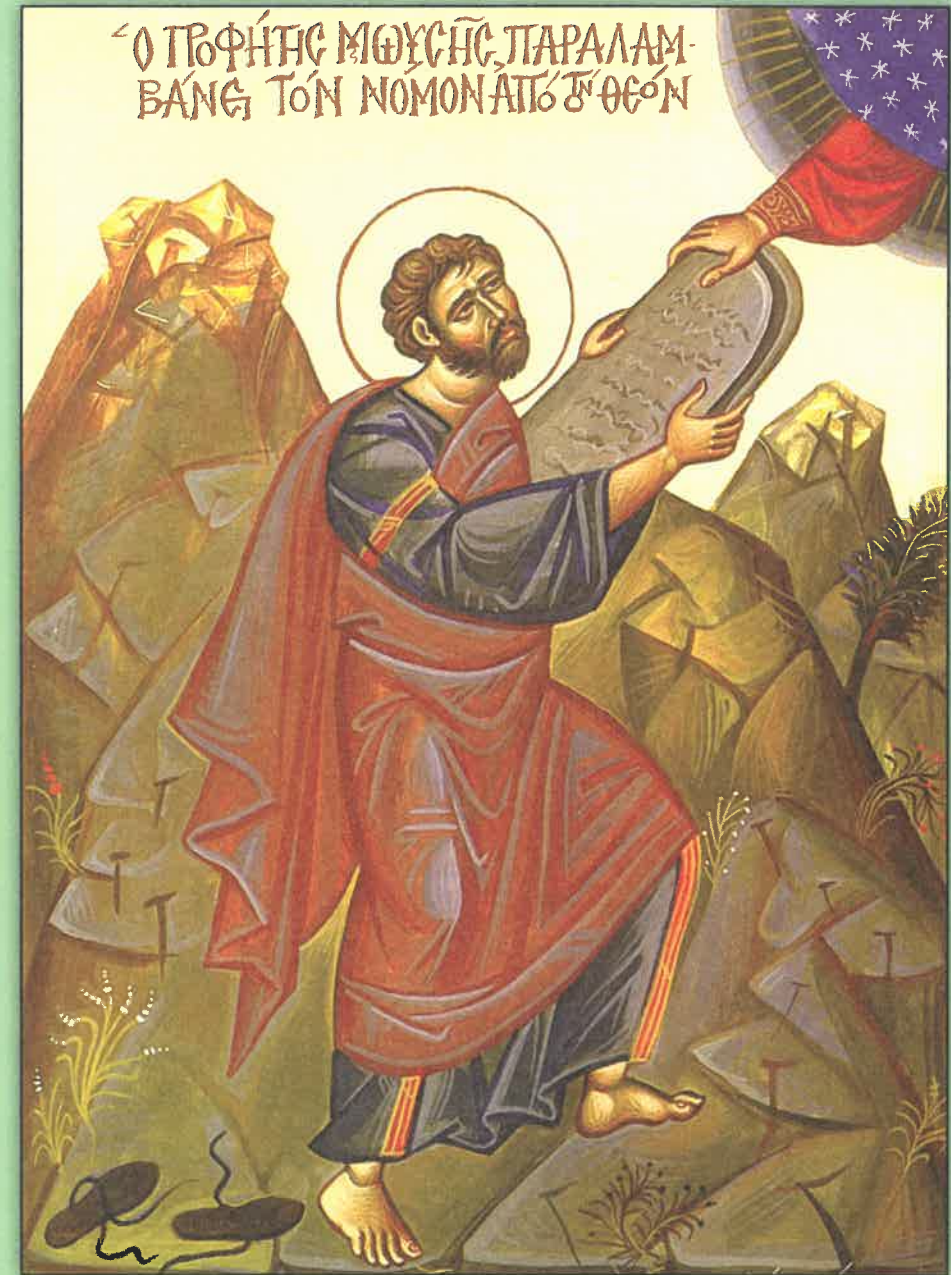
This is not because the law is perfection, for “no one is justified by the law,” as it is written, but because the life lived according to the law is a kind of introduction to the eternal life, briefly acquainting trainees to the things above. “For the law was put in charge to lead us to Christ.”

The law is the starting point for social justice. Christ is the perfection. For the beginning of good is to act justly, He says. Just action then is shown by the law, but goodness is shown by Christ. The law taught us to repay those who wish to harm us, as in “eye for eye, tooth for tooth.”

But Christ taught us to let go such balanced vengeance, with the view to the greater good, teaching that “if anyone strikes you on the right cheek, turn to him the other also; and if anyone would sue you and take your coat, let him have your cloak as well.”

St. Cyril of Alexandria

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Moses and the Ten Commandments

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., Aug 27
6:00 P.M.

(VIGIL SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY)

Thanksgiving: 50th Wedding Anniversary requested by: M/M Ford
Of: Phil & Margaret Ford (8-5)

Sun., Aug 28
11:00 A.M.

THE 12TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

+Peggy +Conrad Straub requested by: Daughter: Liz McGarry

12:30 P.M.

Holy Mysteries Of Baptism, Chrismation, & First Eucharist Of:
Sadie Harper Macala

Mon., Aug 29



The Feast Of The Beheading Of The Glorious,
Prophet, Precursor, Forerunner and Baptist John

Simple Holy Day — Voluntary Strict Fast Day (no meat or dairy)

+Norene C. Kotasek requested by: Kotasek Family
(9th anniversary of passing 8.30)

Sat., Sept 3
6:00 P.M.

(VIGIL SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY)

+Raymond Tirpack requested by: Ed & Maria Tirpack

Sun., Sept 4

THE 13TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST —

Labor Day Weekend — Uniontown Pilgrimage

+Conrad +Delores Straub requested by: Sister: Liz McGarry



August 28 — Jim Klimis
August 30 — Jack Macala,
Nick Maker
August 31 — Stephen Kovach,
Melissa Wasko
September 3 — Nick Stanko



YEAH ... LOOKS LIKE THOSE PRANKSTERS
HOOKED THE SPRINKLER UP TO THE HOLY
WATER AGAIN

Church Tithing From: August 20 & 21, 2022

Sunday Offering \$2,525.00
Loose Currency \$87.00
Candles.... \$130.00
Holydays \$300.00
TOTAL: \$3,042.00

Church Attendance

Saturday 8/20 — 33 (6:00 pm)
Sunday 8/21 — 66 (11:00 am)



Last Weekend's Roof Donations
August 21 - \$365.00

An updated Raise The Roof Report will be published this September

Pray For Our Homebound, Hospitalized, & In Recovery updated: August 26, 2022

RESIDING AT HOME — Jerry Arendas, John Cochran, Dave Cole, Mike Drotar, Florence Galida, Francis Kotasek,
Donna Mitulinski, Patti Pancoe, Marge Shabella, 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.



Back to School



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alphabet	Drama	History	numbers	Science
Art	elementary	homework	pencil	Social Studies
backpack	English	Language Arts	Physical Education	Spelling
books	friends	learn	reading	students
classroom	Geography	library	recess	subjects
crayons	grades	Math	school	teacher
desk	Health	Music	scissors	writing



The Beheading of Saint John the Baptist August 29

As forerunner of our Lord's birth, preaching and death, the blessed John showed in his struggle goodness worthy of the sight of heaven. In the words of Scripture: "Though in the sight of men he suffered torments, his hope is full of immortality." We justly commemorate the day of his birth with a joyful celebration, a day which he himself made festive for us through his suffering and which he adorned with the crimson splendor of his own blood. We do rightly revere his memory with joyful hearts, for he stamped with the seal of martyrdom the testimony which he delivered on behalf of our Lord...Through his birth, preaching and baptizing, he

bore witness to the coming birth, preaching and baptism of Christ, and by his own suffering he showed that Christ also would suffer.

In Matthew 14:1-12 we read about the cruel death of John the Baptist. John had publicly reprimanded King Herod for taking his brother's wife as his own, so Herod had him imprisoned. Although Herod really wanted John dead, he feared the many people who believed John to be a prophet. Indeed, we consider him to be the last of the Old Testament prophets. During his riotous birthday party, Herod was so pleased with the dancing of his wife's daughter Salome that he promised her anything she wanted. Her mother prompted her to say, "The head of John the Baptist on a platter." Even though Herod regretted his promise, he had to abide by it because his guests had heard him. So he commanded that John be beheaded and that the head be given to Salome, who in turn, gave it to her mother.

In the Eastern Church we keep this day as a strict fast day, (the authentic tradition is no meat, fish, dairy, wine or olive oil) as reminders that we are to live a different style of life that Herod. In memory of this event, it is a pious custom amongst our faithful to not use dishes on this day, since John's head was served on a dish/platter. Instead, only bowls are used. Also, the food that is served on this day should not require the use of a knife, since a sharp instrument was used to behead him.

Thus, we are given three ways to remember St. John's beheading: a strict fast, using bowls, eating food that is not cut. This year, incorporate at least one, if not all, of these customs to help you (your family) learn the meaning of this feast day.

Congratulations Jubilarians

Our St. Michael Church offers Congratulations to parishioners **PHIL & MARGARET FORD** who are observing their 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary this month. They were married on August 5, 1972. May the Lord God grant to His jubilarians, Phil & Marge, as they celebrate their golden wedding anniversary, peace, health, and happiness for many years, na mnohaja i blahja l'ita!



Reborn in Water & Spirit

Our Saint Michael Parish offers Best Wishes and Congratulations to **SADIE HARPER MACALA** who will receive the Holy Mysteries of Initiation (Baptism, Chrismation, and Eucharist) TODAY, Sunday, August 28, 2022. She is infant daughter of Angela & Andrew Macala. May God grant to His newly enlightened handmaid, Sadie Harper, peace, health, and happiness, for many blessed years, na mnohaja i blahja l'ita.

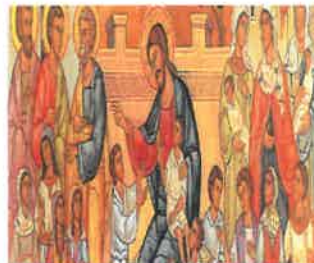
Church New Year begins Thursday



On **September 1st**, our Byzantine Catholic Church begins the Ecclesiastical New Year. Christian tradition relates that Jesus began His public ministry in the month of September, leaving His hometown of Nazareth and embarking upon a three year period as in itinerant preacher. Thus in the Byzantine Empire, the civil year began on the 1st of September. Once again in this forthcoming liturgical year, the Lord Jesus beckons us to follow after Him, to observe His commandments, to listen to His preaching, to implement His teachings, and to recommit ourselves to His way of life. As mature Christians, we have the opportunity in this new year to demonstrate our love, loyalty, fidelity, and obedience to the merciful, compassionate, and forgiving Jesus. His divine love is ineffable and unfathomable; it is truly immeasurable and inscrutable. We begin again this Church New year with the Lord Jesus Christ, Who is the *Alpha* and the *Omega*-the "A" and the "Z"-the *Beginning* and the *End* of all things. We must promise to make more time for Christ by increasing and improving our prayer life. Make a firm resolution for this to be a truly good church year for your individual spiritual life and also for our St. Michael Parish.

ECF starts next month – Register Now

Eastern Christian Formation (ECF) classes will begin **starting Tuesday, September 20th from 6:00-7:15 p.m. and every Tuesday thereafter**. Registration is available on our parish facebook page and website. Parents, please take ECF seriously and put your child's religious education **BEFORE** all other activities. ECF not only teaches our children how to become closer to God through prayer, service, and knowledge, but it also teaches them what is to be a Byzantine Catholic...and the beautiful traditions of our Byzantine Catholic Church. We welcome the opportunity to teach your child about his or her faith, and the ways of our beautiful Rite.



Want to be an altar server?

Our St. Michael Parish is in need of more altar servers. The ministry of serving is open to boys and men, yes, even adult males. You are not too old to serve. There is no age that one stops serving. Father would like to have at least 4 servers at every Liturgy to perform the proper entrances and hold the proper liturgical items. If you are interested, please contact him. Father will train you if need be.

Uniontown pilgrimage next weekend

Next **Saturday & Sunday, September 4-5th**, the 88th Annual Pilgrimage in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help will be held at Mount St. Macrina, Uniontown, PA. For the schedule and more information, please visit: www.sistersofstbasil.org.

 **SAINT MICHAEL BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH**
REVERSE RAFFLE
GRAND PRIZE: \$2,500.00
All Proceeds Go Towards Parish Roof Renovation
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2022
SAINT MICHAEL HALL
405 Robinson Road • Campbell, Ohio
5:00 pm - Appetizers & Open Bar • 6:00 pm - Dinner • 7:00 pm - Raffle Begins
Drawing will be livestreamed at facebook.com/st.michaelsbyz.campbell
\$100.00 per person \$150.00 w/guest

Tickets Numbers Available:

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Christmas market

Mark your calendars now for our St. Michael Parish "**CHRISTMAS MARKET**" scheduled to take place on **Saturday, November 26th** at our St. Michael Hall. Nearly 20 vendors and crafters are being planned to be present along with ethnic food available...take a break from the turkey leftovers this day. More information will be forthcoming and if you have any immediate questions, please see Annette.

Chinese Auction Event in Hermitage

St. Michael Church, 2230 Highland Road, Hermitage, is having their 45th annual Chinese Auction **Sunday, October 9th**. Social Center Doors open at 1:00 p.m.; the drawing for prizes begins at 2:15 p.m.; admission donation is \$6.00 which includes a light lunch + 1 free tear sheet.

Expression of thanks

"To The Parishioners of St. Michael's Church:

Father Kevin presented us with two large greeting cards. One for Sister Leocadia's birthday and one for Sister Bernarda's 75th Jubilee. We thank each one of you for your greetings. How nice it is to be remembered. Thank You.

With our love and prayers,
Sister Leocadia & Sister Bernarda"

