

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 ECF classes every Tuesday 6-7:15 p.m. at our St. Michael Hall.
Youth Group All youth welcome; see Keri Vokish.
GCU Lodge 360 New Changes January 1, 2023; see Ed Stanko.
St. Michael's Civic Club Welcoming members to join; see Bill Ohlin.
St. Michael Hall, 405 Robinson Road Call Parish Office For Rentals.
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.

I Will Pay You

And so our sins become greater, and not only from this but also from the benefits and honor which we enjoy from them. If you want to learn how our sins against God are like ten thousand talents, or more in fact, and even much more, I will try to show you briefly. But I fear, lest to those who are inclined to wickedness and love continually to sin, I should appear to provide them with still greater security; or that I might drive the meeker sort to despair, and that they should repeat the despairing question of the disciples: "Who then can be saved?"

... But nevertheless I will continue on in the hope that I may make those who pay attention more secure and more amenable. For those who suffer an incurable disease and feel no pain are untouched by these words and do not change from their natural wickedness and inertia. And even if in the future they derive from my words greater occasion for contempt, that should be attributed not to this kind of argument but to

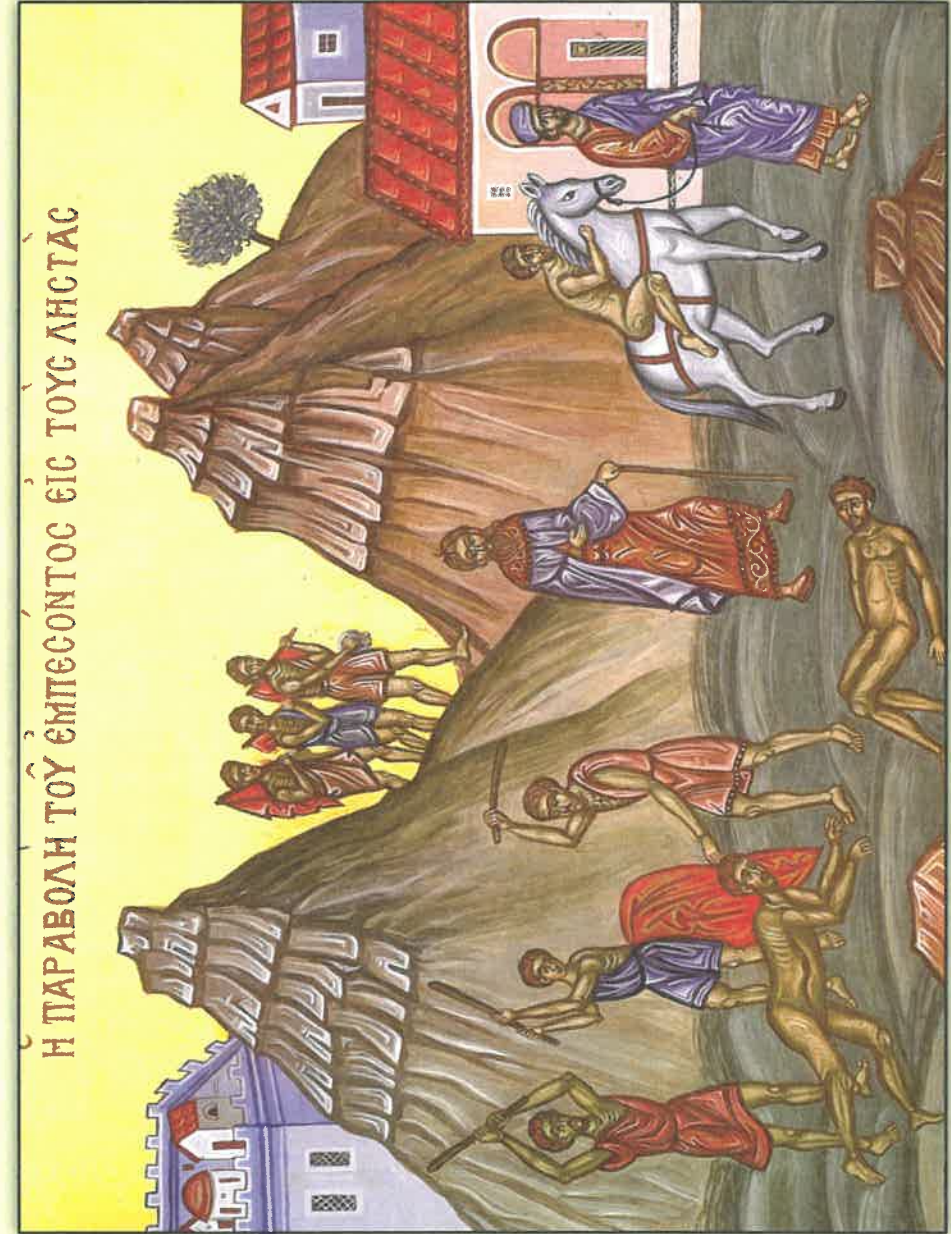
their own insensibility. What I will say ought to be able to arouse them if only they attend to it and let it prick their hearts.

And so it is necessary that I speak. In speaking of our sins, I will distinguish between those we commit against God and against other persons. I will set forth not each person's own but what are common. But then I will ask individuals to add their own sins according to an examination of their conscience. I will do this, having first set forth the good deeds of God to us. What then are God's good deeds? He created us from nothing; he made the whole visible world for us, the heaven, the sea, the earth, animals, plants and seeds.... He gave us a help-mate and set us over all the brute species, and He crowned us with glory and honor.

And yet after all this, when humanity turned out ungrateful toward its benefactor, He thought us worthy of an even greater gift – forgiveness.

St. John Chrysostom

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37)

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

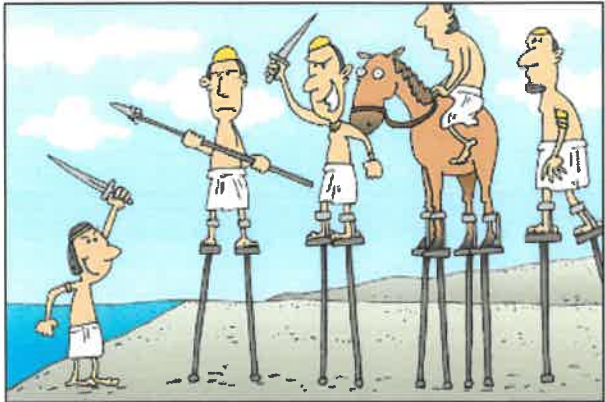
Glory To Jesus Christ!
Glory Forever!
Slava Isusu Christu!
Slava Na Viki!



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November 13 – Mike Katula II
November 15 – Nicholas Mitulinski
November 16 – Mary Zettis



(See Exodus 14)
THE EGYPTIANS PREPARE FOR POTENTIAL
REPEAT RED SEA INCIDENTS

Sat., Nov 12
6:00 P.M.

(VIGIL SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY) — Blessing of Veterans
+Stephen Kohut requested by: Children: Maurene & Ron
(42nd anniversary of passing)

Sun., Nov 13
11:00 A.M.

THE 23RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST —
Blessing of Veterans
+John +Helen +Peter requested by: The Macala Family
+Mary +John G. +Mary Lou Macala

Tues., Nov 15
6:00-7:15 P.M.

ECF Classes At Our St. Michael Hall



Sat., Nov 19
6:00 P.M.

(VIGIL SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY)
+Margaret Wayda requested by: Marge & Phil Ford
(10th anniversary of passing 11.15)

Sun., Nov 20
11:00 A.M.

THE 24TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST —
1st Sunday of the Philippian Fast
+Carmen J. McGarry requested by: Wife: Liz & Daughters & Family
(11th anniversary of passing 11.13)



Church Tithing From:
November 5 & 6, 2022

Sunday Offering \$2,400.00
Loose Currency \$59.00
Candles.... \$73.00
Holydays.... \$85.00
TOTAL: \$2,617.00

Church Attendance

Saturday 11/5 – 40 (6:00 pm)
Sunday 11/6 – 70 (11:00 am)
Tuesday 11/8 – 27 (6:00 pm)



Last Weekend's Roof Donations
November 6 - \$420.00

Pray For Our Homebound, Hospitalized, & In Recovery updated: November 11, 2022

RESIDING AT HOME – Jerry Arendas, John Cochran, Mike Drotar, Florence Galida, Jeff Gomori, Ron Kinnick, Francis Kotasek, Patti Pancoe, Ken Payne, Marge Shabella, Betty Stanko, Steve Zackasee.
Assumption Village (9800 Market Street, North Lima, OH 44452) – Helen Palusak.
Canfield Place (2300 Canfield Road, Youngstown, OH 44511) – Dorothy Leone.
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) – Rosemary Dubos, Anne Thomas.
Please pray for 8 year old, **NORA SABELLA**, who is battling neuroblastoma cancer.

VETERANS DAY
WORD SEARCH



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ANDY ARENDAS
JERRY ARENDAS
DR. ANDY BULAZO
MICK BURICH
KEITH COLOVOS
MIKE DROTAR
DR. JOHN GALIDA
GEORGE HAHN
JOE KINNICK
MIKE KATULA II
RICK TIMCISKO
ED TIRPACK



“I didn’t carry the weight, walk in the boots or even see the things that they saw. I never had to. And that is exactly the point. Thank you.”
-JmStorm

Our 40 day journey to Bethlehem begins this Tuesday



Tuesday, November 15th, our Byzantine Catholic Church begins the 40 day spiritual journey to the cave of Bethlehem. This spiritual journey is called the **Philippian Fast or the St. Philip's Fast**, because it is immediately preceded by the feast of this apostle (November 14th). Sometimes we also call it the Pre-Nativity Fast or Advent, which means "Come." Like Great Lent, which precedes Easter, this lasts forty days, but it does not involve the same liturgical restrictions and the same strictness in fasting as does Lent. The central idea of the Philippian Fast is that it is the 'coming' of the Lord Jesus. To worthily meet our Lord and Savior, we should sanctify this pre-Nativity season of the Philippian Fast. Sanctifying means spending our time in faith and in the service of God and in kindness towards our neighbor, especially those who are in need of our assistance. And we should think of what we would have been had Christ not come to our lowliness and poverty. Together with the whole of the Byzantine Catholic Church we should try to meet Christ as he deserves to be met and as it will, in His mercy, best serve our spiritual benefit!

What We Can Do Over The Next 40 Days Before Christmas

--**Read Scripture.** The Holy Bible is the word of God which reveals Jesus Christ, the Living Word. It is essential reading for Christians. The Philippian Fast provides an ideal opportunity for reading and studying the Bible on a daily basis.

--**Increase Prayer.** Not only should we pray when we need help in our daily lives, but we should continually thank and glorify God for the many blessings He has given us. During the Philippian Fast, we should take time to thank our heavenly Father for His gift of eternal life, made possible by the birth of His Son, Jesus Christ.

--**Repentance** is the conscious desire and effort to change our lives and turn from those things that create barriers between ourselves, God, and others. The Philippian Fast offers us an opportunity to reflect on our sins and shortcomings, to reassess our relationships with God and others, and to seek reconciliation with those against whom we have sinned or from whom we have grown apart. Our thoughts must focus on to the miracle of God's love and forgiveness, as we seek and offer reconciliation.

--**Confession.** As a sign of our repentance, we should participate in the sacrament of Confession during the Philippian Fast. Of course, while we should ask God to forgive us on a daily basis, we should welcome our spiritual father's guidance in sacramental Confession in healing the spiritual ills that so often control us.

--**Fast.** When we fast, we should not only avoid certain foods and entertainments, but we should also avoid anything and everything that we have allowed to control us. Fasting is doing without those things that are not essential for our lives. It enables us to gain control of those things that, while well within our control with God's help, we too often allow to control us.

--**Witness and minister to others.** While we fast and repent, it is equally important to share our time, our talents, and our treasures with those around us, especially the poor, needy, hungry, or lonely. By taking on our human nature, Jesus Christ shares His divine love with us; by reaching out to others, especially the "least of our brothers and sisters," we becoming living reflections of His divine love.

Civic Club meeting next Sunday

The St. Michael's Civic Club will meet **next Sunday, November 20th at 7:30 p.m.** in the bar room at the hall. The St. Michael's Civic Club is open to every member of our parish: men and women and our youth.

Christmas Market set-up begins Wednesday

The Christmas Market event is only 2 weeks away! Set-up begins this Wednesday, November 16th at 5:00 p.m. and continues Thursday, November 17th beginning at 10:00 a.m. Volunteers are asked to help out. Volunteers will be needed Wednesday, November 23rd from 9:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m. and Friday, November 25th beginning at 9:00 a.m. through 8:00 p.m. for food prep and final tweaks.

Cookies and any auction items may be dropped off Wednesday November 23rd or Friday November 25th during the above times.

Holiday food & personal care items drive ends next weekend



The Collection of non-perishable food and toiletries will be extended **through next weekend**. Please have all items in. Toiletries include soap, shampoo, deodorant, lotion, tooth paste & brushes, gloves, socks and hats. You may leave your donations by the autumn tree. This will benefit Our Community Kitchen Food Pantry in Youngstown.

2 special Liturgies upcoming

--**Monday, November 21st at 6:00 p.m.** is the Feast of the Entrance of the Theotokos in the Temple. This is a Solemn Holyday. Join us as we honor this feast of the Blessed Mother.

--**Wednesday, November 23rd at 6:00 p.m.** will be the Thanksgiving Holiday Liturgy. Start off the holiday right by coming to Church and giving thanks to God.

Special thanks

A **THANK YOU to ALL** who attended our St. Michael Patronal Dinner last Sunday and to **ALL** who attended the Solemn Holyday of St. Michael on November 8th. These were certainly historic events as we celebrated our patron's feast in our Centennial year.

Centennial Commemorative Book at printers

Our 100th Anniversary Commemorative Book is now at the printers. We will receive a rough draft of the printing, then once approved, all books will be in production. Distribution of the books will be announced once printing is completed.

Planning a 2023 sacramental wedding?

Getting Married? If you are planning on getting married in 2023, you must contact the parish office at least six months prior to your intended wedding date to begin the marriage preparation process. All marriage preparation must be completed no later than six weeks prior to your intended wedding date. Marriage preparation consists of not only meeting with Father and filling out the necessary paperwork, but also participating in the Archdiocesan Pre-Cana Program. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.

"Let us understand that God is a physician, and that suffering is a medicine for salvation, not a punishment for damnation."

"To fall in love with God is the greatest romance; to seek him the greatest adventure; to find him, the greatest human achievement."
- St. Augustine of Hippo