# 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 paris	sh office at least 8 months prior to wedding.
Religious Education Classes	Summer recess until September.
Youth Group	All youth welcome; see Keri.
GCU	Call Ed Stanko at 330-758-4190.
St. Michael's Civic Club Call Nick DuBos at 412-726-8527	or email him at nicholasdubos@gmail.com.
St. Michael Hall, 405 Robinson Road	Contact 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 you	ir last will and testament. Secure our future.

WEEKEND LITURGIES: Sat eve: 6:00 p.m. Sun: 11:00 a.m.

HOLYDAYS: 6:00 p.m.

## Homily by St. John Chrysostom on Matthew 17

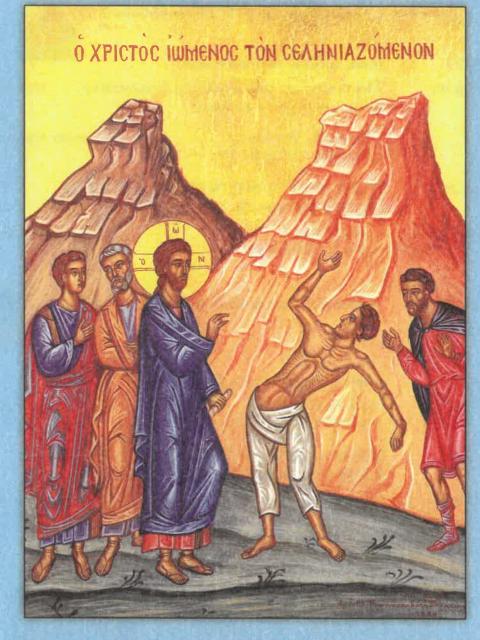
This man the Scripture signifies to be exceedingly weak in faith; and this is many ways evident - from Christ's saving, "All things are possible to him that believes;" from the saying of the man himself that approached, "Help my unbelief;:" from Christ's commanding the devil to "enter no more into him;" and from the man's saying again to Christ, "If You can." Yet if his unbelief was the cause, it may be said, that the devil went not out, why does He blame the disciples? Signifying, that even without persons to bring the sick in faith, they might in many instances work a cure. For as the faith of the person presenting oftentimes availed for receiving the cure, even from inferior ministers; so the power of the doers oftentimes sufficed, even without belief in those who came to work the miracle.

And both these things are signified in the Scripture. For as to those that cast him down, not for faith but for cowardice did they cast him, unintentionally and by chance, for fear of the band of robbers, and so they fled: while the person himself that was cast in was dead, yet by the mere virtue of the holy body the dead man arose.

Whence it is clear in this case, that even the disciples were weak; but not all; for the pillars Galatians 2:9 were not present there. And see this man's want of consideration, from another circumstance again, how before the multitude he pleads to Jesus against His disciples, saying, "I brought him to Your disciples, and they could not cure him."

But He, acquitting them of the charges before the people, imputes the greater part to him. For, O faithless and perverse generation, these are His words, how long shall I be with you? Matthew 17:17 not aiming at his person only, lest He should confound the man, but also at all the Jews. For indeed many of those present might probably be offended, and have undue thoughts of them.

#### TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of healing the possessed boy (Matthew 17:14-23)

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



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Sat., July 27

(Vigil Sunday Divine Liturgy)

6:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving: 50th Wedding Anniversary

requested by: Family

Of: Joann & Jerry Skubiak

+Daniel A. Watkins

requested by: Parents: Alice & John Watkins

(11th anniversary of passing 7.26)

Sun., July 28

THE 10TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

11:00 a.m.

+Helen Palusak

requested by: Bob & Kathy Figuly

(remembrance of 96th birthday 7.24)

Mon., July 29 -

No Divine Services scheduled this week

Fri., August 2



Sat., Aug 3

(Vigil Sunday Divine Liturgy)

6:00 p.m.

+Rick A. Gozur Sr.

requested by: Wife: Judy & Family

(5th anniversary of passing 7.29)

Sun., Aug 4

THE 11TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

11:00 a.m.

+Irene R. Kovalchick (10th anniversary of passing 8.3)

requested by: Daughter: Alice & John Watkins





#### Church Attendance

Saturday 7/20 - 56 (6:00 pm) Sunday 7/21 - 81 (11:00 am)

## Pray For Our Homebound, Sick, Hospitalized, & In Recovery updated: July 26, 2024

RESIDING AT HOME – Francis Kotasek, Vera Orosz, Marge Shabella, Martha Swantek, Maria Tirpack. Concord Care Center of Cortland (4250 Sodom Hutchings Road, Cortland, OH 44410) - Lucille Puhak. The Inn at Ironwood (6699 Ironwood Boulevard, Canfield, OH 44406) - 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) - Anne Thomas.

## Church offerings from July 20 & 21, 2024

**Sunday Offering .... \$1,490.00** Loose Currency .... \$112.00

Candles .... \$70.00 **Special .... \$60.00** Holyday.... \$100.00

TOTAL: \$1,832.00



**July 21st TOTAL:** \$303.00



AM SO PROUD OF YOUR FATHER CAIN...HE HAS BEEN TRAINING SO HARD FOR THIS ... OF COURSE HIS WINNING WOULD BE MORE IMPRESSIVE IF THESE OLYMPIC GAME THINGS HAD OTHER CONTESTANTS

Week	Weekly Requirement to Meet Yearly Expenses		
Date	Collection	Required	(Shortage)
July 21	\$1,832	\$2,850	(\$1,018)
YTD	\$70,801	\$82,650	(\$11,849)

#### Ouote of the Week

"Human history is the long, terrible story of a man trying to find something other than God which will make him happy."

- C.S. Lewis

DIRECTIONS:
Find and circle the
vocabulary words
in the grid. Look
for them in all
directions including
backwards and
diagonally.

ARCHERY
ATHLETICS
BADMINTON
BASEBALL
BASKETBALL
BOXING
CANOEING
CRICKET
CROQUET
CYCLING
DIVING
EQUESTRIAN

**FENCING** 

FIELD HOCKEY

FOOTBALL

GOLF

**GYMNASTICS** 

HANDBALL

# Summer Olympics

## Word Search

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SWIMMING
TABLE TENNIS
TAEKWONDO
TENNIS
TRIATHLON
TUG OF WAR
VOLLEYBALL
WATER POLO
WEIGHTLIFTING
WRESTLING

SURFING

## 30 ways to pray for people in authority

The life of every citizen is impacted by an estimated 500,000 or more individuals who wield significant influence each day. Consider the vast multitude of elected officials, appointed judges, lawyers, police officers, bureaucrats, officials, military officers, media elite, news anchors, publishers and educators, talk show hosts, business executives and managers, theologians, ministers, rabbis, priests, chaplains, elders, pastors, deacons, lay workers, ministry heads, educators, professors, teachers, medical practitioners and hospital administrators, scientists, researchers, inventors and engineers, artists and designers, athletes, actors and entertainment figures. How might we pray for these individuals? Here are some tips when keeping such people in your prayers:

- 1. That they be God fearing and recognize that they are accountable to Him for each decision and act. (Prov 9:10)
- 2. That they be granted wisdom, knowledge and understanding. (Js 1:5)
- 3. That they be presented with the gospel and loving Christian witness. (Rom 10:14)
- 4. That they be strengthened and encouraged in their faith. (1Tim 2:4; Eph 1:17-23)
- 5. That they recognize their own inadequacy and pray and seek the will of God. (Prov 3:5-8; Lk 11:9-13)
- 6. That they be mindful of sin, transgression and iniquity. (Ps 51:17; Jn 8:9)
- 7. That they heed their conscience, confess their sins and repent. (Prov 28:13; Js 4:8)
- 8. That they read the Bible and attend prayer services and Bible studies. (Ps 114:11; Col 3:2)
- 9. That they value and regard the Ten Commandments and the teachings of Christ. (Ps 19:7-11; Jn 8:31,32)
- 10. That they respect and honor their own parents, if living. (Eph 6:2,3)
- 11. That they respect authority and practice accountability. (Rom 13:1-7)
- 12. That they be given godly counsel and God fearing advisors. (Prov 24:6)
- 13. That they be honest and faithful to spouses and children. (Mal 2:15,16)
- 14. That they be practicing members of local congregations. (Heb 10:25)
- 15. That they desire purity and avoid debauchery, pornography, perversion and drunkenness. (1 Cor 6:9-20; Ti 2:12)
- 16. That they be timely, reliable and dependable. (Mt 21:28-31)
- 17. That they be honest in financial, tax and ethical matters. (1 Cor 6:10; 1 Tim 6:6-10)
- 18. That they seek pastoral care and counsel when needed. (Heb 13:7)
- 19. That they seek out and nurture godly friendships. (Ps 1:1-3)
- 20. That they have thankful ad teachable spirits. (Rom 1:21)
- 21. That they be generous and have compassionate hearts for the poor and needy. (Ps 112:9; Lk. 10:33-37)
- 22. That they redeem their time and know priorities. (Eph 5:15-17)
- 23. That they desire honesty, integrity and loyalty. (Ps 26; Prov. 11:3)
- 24. That they have courage to resist manipulation, bribery, pressure and the fear of man. (Prov. 29:25; 2 Tim 1:7)
- 25. That they be shielded from occultism, New Age cults, false religions and secret societies. (Is 1:29; 2:6)
- 26. That they be presented with biblical world views and principles. (Eph 3:10)
- 27. That they endeavor to restore the sanctity of life, families, divine order and morality in our nation. Eph. 5:22-6:1)
- 28. That they would work to reverse the trends of humanism, socialism and statism in our nation. (1 Chr. 12:32; Is 59:15)
- 29. That they desire humility and meekness and be willing to serve and cooperate. (Jn 13:124; Ti 3:1:2)
- 30. That they be prepared to give account to Almighty God. (Heb 9:27)

#### Dormition Fast, Spasovka, begins Thursday

Our Byzantine Catholic Church designates a non-obligatory fast during the first two weeks in August to honor the Most-Holy Theotokos. It is observed in preparation for the feast of her Dormition, or "Falling Asleep" on August 15th. Fasting, accompanied by prayer and works of charity, is a way of disciplining our entire person, not just the body. Mary is the perfect example of one who allowed the Holy Spirit to enter her life and transform her into a dwelling-place for God. The Dormition fast challenges us to come to Christ and imitate the Virgin Mary's virtuous and sinless life. Use her powerful prayers before Her Son, because never was it known that anyone who fled to her protection, implored her help, or sought her intercession was left unaided. From August 1-14, let us offer an increase in our prayer, some minor fasting, and help others.



#### Our Parish summer picnic in two weeks

Our Parish Family summer picnic will be held **on SUNDAY**, **August 11th** here at our St. Michael Church grounds. The 11:00 a.m. Sunday Divine Liturgy will be held outside by the hall under the tent. Volunteers will be needed to help prepare and for set-up. Each family is kindly asked to bring a dessert to share. Please submit the RSVP form if you haven't done so. Forms are once again enclosed in today's bulletin. Join us for a fun filled afternoon with food, games, and parish fellowship.

#### Church etiquette

Just a friendly reminder that when entering the nave of our church, it should be a space of solemnity and quiet. Before Liturgy begins, sometimes people come early to pray, and on Sunday's, the holy rosary is usually said. Please refrain from chatting with someone or loud talking.



## VBS Thanks

Our 2024 Vacation Bible School program concluded this past Friday. What a great 5 days filled with songs, crafts, activities, outside games, swimming and lots of faith and fun. Our St. Michael Church extends a very special THANK YOU to our Coordinator of the program, Keri Vokish for organizing and coordinating the week and dedicating much time and work to the program. THANK YOU to our VBS teachers: Seminarian Chad Durante, Mother Theodora, Isabella Sferra, Destiny Corbett, Hannah Stouffer and Aderyn McLaughlin. THANK YOU to our VBS kitchen crew: Marge Ford, Regina Sferra, Linda Macala, and Grace Papini. Also, THANK YOU to Terry Tirpack and Dave Penwell for their help with set-up and Terry who cleaned-up daily.



## Congratulations "Golden" Jubilarians

Our St. Michael Church offers Congratulations to JOANN & JERRY SKUBIAK who are celebrating their "Golden" 50th Wedding Anniversary. They were married on July 27, 1974. They will receive a special blessing at this weekend's Vigil Divine Liturgy. May the Lord God grant to His servants, Joann & Jerry peace, health, and happiness for many years, na mnohaja i blahaja l'ita!

## Priest falls asleep in the Lord

+REVEREND FATHER NICHOLAS KRAYNAK, 91, a vocation from St. Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church in Youngstown, fell asleep in the Lord on Sunday, July 14, 2024. +Fr. Kraynak was a priest for 65 years and served parishes in CA, OH, NJ, NY, and PA. A private priest Funeral Divine Liturgy was offered on Saturday, July 20, 2024 by Bishop Kurt Burnette and Archbishop William with interment at St. Nicholas Cemetery. May God grant to His departed priest servant, +Fr. Nicholas, blessed repose and eternal memory, vicnaja jemu pamjat.



#### 2 YEARS AGO

It was two years ago this week, July 31st, that we celebrated our St. Michael Parish 100th Anniversary. Hoping that we are all still cherishing the memories of what a wonderful, glorious, and awesome weekend it was. May we continue to Honor the Past, Give Thanks to the Present, and Ensure the Future!

## Pilgrim Virgin statue to be at our church August 6th



On the Feast of the Transfiguration, **Tuesday**, **August 6th**, the Pilgrim Virgin Statue will be at our church from 12:00 noon to 7:00 p.m. There will be a 6:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for the holyday. The statue was blest by Ven. Pope Pius XII on May 13, 1947, causing him to refer to this image as the "messenger of her royalty," thus becoming the famous "Pilgrim Virgin Statue" known as the "Weeping Madonna". Please stop by and spread the word of the visitation. Our Lady grants many graces and blessings during a visitation.



Tickets Available in the Narthex or email: stmikesbyzkids@gmail.com or call the parish office 330-755-4831. Get your RR number(s) now!

# St. Michael's Parish Picnic

Sunday, August 11th

11: 00 A.M. OUTDOOR SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY WITH BLESSING OF TEACHERS & STUDENTS

12:30 P.M. FOOD IS SERVED
FOLLOWED BY AN AFTERNOON OF
GREAT FUN, MUSIC, & GAMES



## EVERY FAMILY IS KINDLY ASKED TO BRING A DESSERT TO SHARE

## reservation form

# adults \_\_\_\_\_
# kids \_\_\_\_

submit by August 6th
place in collection basket or mail to church

