

Saint Michael Byzantine Catholic Church

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Holy Mystery of Reconciliation Available before/after liturgies.

Holy Mysteries of Baptism, Chrismation, & Eucharist 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 6:00 p.m. at Hall.

ByanTEEN Youth Group Parochial/Community activities; 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 your last will and testament. Secure our future.

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

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE: Inside Cover & special pamphlet in narthex

Rejoice at His Coming!

Let us say to Christ: *Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the king of Israel.* Let us hold before Him like palm branches those final words inscribed above the cross. Let us show Him honor, not with olive branches but with the splendor of merciful deeds to one another. Let us spread the thoughts and desires of our hearts under His feet like garments, so that entering us with the whole of his being, He may draw the whole of our being into Himself and place the whole of His in us. Let us say to Zion in the words of the prophet: *Have courage, daughter of Zion, do not be afraid. Behold, your king comes to you, humble and mounted on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden.* He is coming who is everywhere present and pervades all things; He is coming to achieve in you His work of universal salvation. He is coming who came to call to repentance not the righteous but sinners, coming to recall those who have strayed into sin. Do not be afraid, then: *God is in the midst of you, and you shall not be shaken.*

Receive Him with open, outstretched hands, for it was on His own hands that He sketched you. Receive

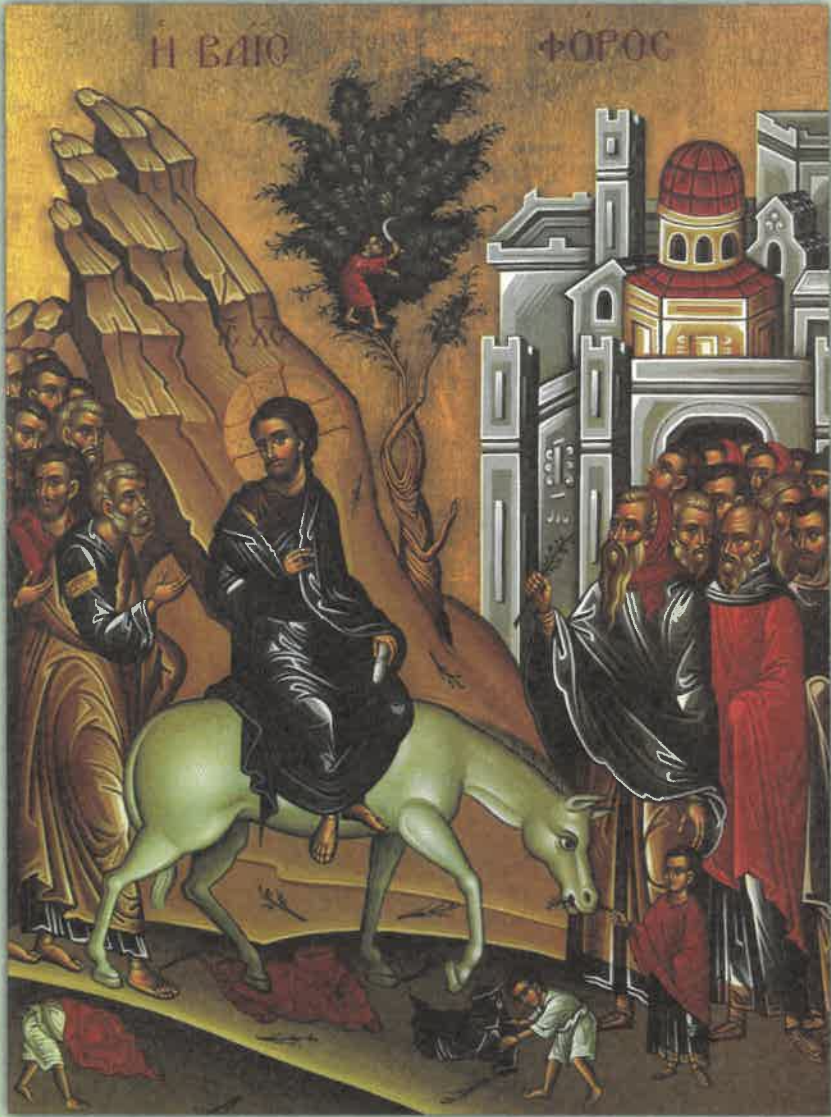
Him who laid your foundations on the palms of His hands. Receive Him, for He took upon Himself all that belongs to us except sin, to consume what is ours in what is His. Be glad, city of Zion, our mother, and fear not. *Celebrate your feasts.* Glorify Him for His mercy, who has come to us in you. Rejoice exceedingly, daughter of Jerusalem, sing and leap for joy. *Be enlightened, be enlightened,* we cry to you, as holy Isaiah trumpeted, for the light has come to you and the glory of the Lord has risen over you.

And what is this *glory of the Lord*? Clearly it is the cross on which Christ was glorified, He, the radiance of the Father's glory, even as He said when He faced His passion: *Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him, and will glorify him at once.* The glory of which He speaks here is His lifting up on the cross, for Christ's glory is His cross and His exultation upon it, as He plainly says: *When I have been lifted up, I will draw all men to myself.*

St. Andrew of Crete



PALM (FLOWERY) SUNDAY



Icon of the Entrance into Jerusalem



HOLY WEEK

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SAT., APR 12

(Vigil Palm Sunday Divine Liturgy) Mirovanije

6:00 p.m.

+Mary +John Muzina

requested by: Annette & Dave Hospodar

(10th ann. of passing 4.3) (31st ann. of passing 4.10)

SUN., APR 13

THE ROYAL ENTRY OF OUR LORD INTO JERUSALEM – PALM (FLOWERY) SUNDAY

11:00 a.m.

+Ruth Kinnick



requested by: Joe Kinnick & Family

Mirovanije (remembrance of 76th birthday 4.10)

HOLY TUES., APRIL 15

holy and Great Tuesday

6:00 p.m.

Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy with Concelebrants followed by Confessions Available

HOLY WED., APRIL 16

holy and Great Wednesday (no meat products)



6:00 p.m.

Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy with the Sacrament of Holy Anointing



HOLY THURS., APRIL 17

holy and Great Thursday



Liturgy at Cathedral – Consecration of Chrism

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18

holy and Great Friday (no meat or dairy products)



5:00 p.m.

Entombment Vespers Followed by Outside Candlelight Burial Procession of Our Lord Jesus



After Vespers, you may spend time in quiet prayer before the Tomb Of Christ

HOLY SAT., APRIL 19

holy and Great Saturday

4:50 p.m.

5:00 p.m.



**Solemn Outside Candlelight Procession of the Resurrection
RESURRECTIONAL MATINS & THE SOLEMN BLESSING
OF PASCHAL FOODS @ HALL**

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20

THE RADIANT RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST The Great Day

*10:30 a.m.

Mirovanije



**EASTER SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY WITH THE
READING OF THE GOSPEL IN LATIN,
CHURCH SLAVONIC, & ENGLISH**



*Fulfills Easter Obligation



April 16 – Jesse Santana, Heather Molina

April 18 – Chris A. Vokish

Church Attendance

Saturday 4/5 – **63** (6:00 pm)

Sunday 4/6 – **53** (11:00 am)

Wednesday 4/9 – **38** (6:00 pm)

Pray For Our Homebound, Sick, Hospitalized, & In Recovery updated: April 11, 2025

RESIDING AT HOME – Jeremy Clark, Michael Drotar, Ted Fesz, Greta Marks, Vera Orosz, Lucille Puhak, Martha Swantek, Ed Tirpack.

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 April 5 & 6, 2025

Sunday Offering \$2,595.00

Loose Currency \$25.00

Candles \$80.00

TOTAL: \$2,700.00

Hall Use (funeral 4/11): **\$400.00**



April 6th TOTAL:

\$355.00

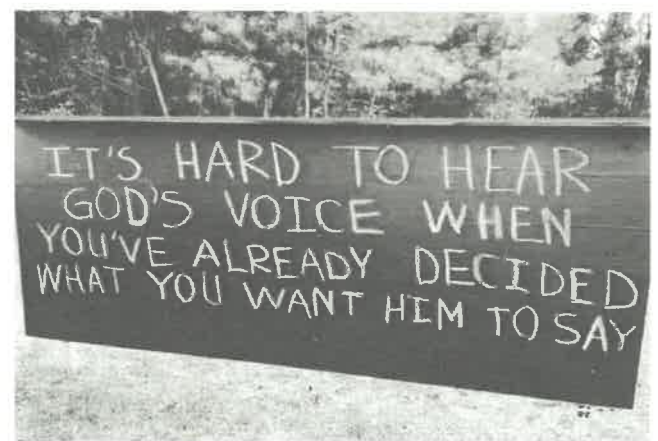
Weekly Requirement to Meet Yearly Expenses			
Date	Collection	Required	(Shortage)
April 6	\$2,700	\$2,850	(\$150)
YTD	\$30,040	\$39,900	(\$9,860)



(See John 19:17-37)

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SO JESUS, HAVE YOU MADE ANY PLANS FOR EASTER YET?



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

Holy Week

Word Search

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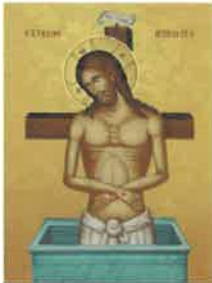


- LAST SUPPER
- LENT
- LITURGY
- MAUNDY THURSDAY
- MOURNING
- PALM BRANCH
- PALM SUNDAY
- PASSION
- PRAYER

- PROCESSION
- REDEMPTION
- REFLECTION
- RESURRECTION
- RISEN
- SAVIOR
- SCRIPTURE
- SERVICE
- TOMB

Holy & Great Monday & Tuesday

Holy (Passion) Week has started, the most solemn week of the year. The most important thing for us to realize is that our salvation is at hand. The Holy Apostle Paul tells us: "Rejoice in the Lord always...the Lord is near" (Philippians 4:4-5). The theme around these days centers on Christ as the Bridegroom. Jesus comes to redeem His bride – the Church. And who is the church? The people of God - us. The Bridegroom Jesus thus comes to secure salvation for us – His bride and to bring us into His bridal chamber, the New Jerusalem, the Holy Zion, the New Life with Him in eternity.



Holy & Great Wednesday – Holy Anointing



In the Gospel on Palm Sunday, we hear the story of the anointing of our Lord in at a meal in Bethany, "Mary took a liter of costly perfumed oil made from genuine aromatic nard and anointed the feet of Jesus and dried them with her hair; the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil. ... Jesus said, "Leave her alone. Let her keep this for the day of my burial. John 12:3.7)" Likewise, in the Gospel on Holy Wednesday, the same anointing of Jesus is described, "a woman came up to him with an alabaster jar of costly perfumed oil, and poured it on his head while he was reclining at table. [Jesus] said ..., "Why do you make trouble for the woman? She has done a good thing for me. The poor you will always have with you; but you will not always have me. In pouring this perfumed oil upon my body, she did it to prepare me for burial. (Matthew 26:7.10-12)" In being anointed, then, we are professing in deeds our hope of following Jesus in his death, that we may obtain also his resurrection. We are renewing our baptismal promise to renounce the evil one and to follow Christ.

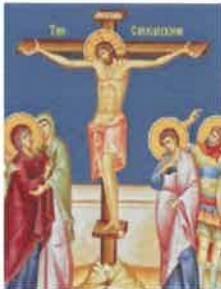
Holy & Great Thursday



On Holy and Great Thursday, three events are recalled: the betrayal of Judas, the washing of the feet of the disciples by Jesus, and the Institution of the Eucharist. The morning service of the Betrayal Matins remind us of Judas' plot to hand over Jesus to the Roman authorities. The central aspect of the day is the Mystical Supper. We shall be with the Lord as He institutes the Divine Eucharist which is to be perpetuated until His second coming in an unbloody manner. We also celebrate the Institution of the Priesthood.

Holy & Great & Good Friday

On Holy & Great Friday, STRICT ABSTINENCE (no meat, eggs, or dairy products) is required. The theme throughout the day is the passion, death, and burial of Christ. Passion Matins are usually celebrated in the morning or the evening before. A feature of this service is that twelve gospels are read recalling the passion of our Lord, with twelve men holding candles for each gospel. The afternoon of this day is dedicated to the time our Lord hung upon the Cross. We should spend some time in silence during the afternoon hours this day. On Good Friday evening, Entombment Vespers are celebrated. At the end of Vespers, the priest carries the burial shroud of Christ and places it in the tomb. The church will remain open after Vespers for those who wish to pray before the tomb of our Lord.



Holy & Great Saturday

The Christians of the early Church gathered at the tomb of our Lord in Jerusalem to recount His decent into Hades following His salvific death. Christ now breaks the chains of Hades where the righteous were awaiting His arrival to take them into the splendor of heaven. In the afternoon of this day, the message of Christ's Radiant Resurrection already begins to be announced by the breakthrough and annihilation of Hades.



Resurrectional Matins



After the long period of darkness brought about by original sin, after the seemingly endless expectation of the prophets, after the glad tidings of the nativity that came to pass when the time had come, after the thirty hidden years and the three years of public life, after the frightful passion which had seemed to be the end of all hope, after the two days in the depth of the tomb, behold: CHRIST IS RISEN! Indeed, indeed, He is risen, and all is true, every promise of God has been fulfilled; the Savior has come, the Lamb of God has been sacrificed to take away the sins of the world, and supremely triumphant in his apparent defeat. He has crushed death by his death and restored everlasting life through his resurrection! The time of weeping is over: now is the time for joy!

Now that we have been cleansed by the passion of Christ, now that we have repented and atoned for our sins during the penitential season of Lent, let us rejoice: confirming our love towards all, celebrating the end of the enmity between God and man, proving our reconciliation through Christ. Easter is truly for us the Passover: for Christ, through his passion and resurrection, made us return from the curse of Adam and the bondage of Satan to the state of children of God. All lights are lit, bells are rung, the tomb is empty, and the joy of Christ Is Risen resounds the entire Church. The Canon of the Resurrection is then sung. It is a hymn of victory. A festivity is the basket of paschal foods--preparing them, blessing them, and enjoying them--great, solemn, and sanctified.

Solemn Blessing of Easter Baskets

Every household is encouraged to bring a basket(s) on Holy Saturday evening, April 19th. Children may prepare their own baskets to bring as well. Don't exempt yourself from this rich tradition. A form is located on the back of the Holy Week Schedule if you need guidance making it.



Easter Sunday Divine Liturgy



Today as we commemorate the total and complete triumph of Our Lord's Radiant Resurrection flowing from the Empty Tomb of Christ, this Principle Feat of our Faith festively echoes and resounds Jesus' message of HOPE for mankind in the "New Life" that He secured for us by His Passion, Death, and Resurrection. The founders and benefactors of our Byzantine Catholic Church referred to this day as THE GREAT DAY since the Lord Jesus Who is the New Paschal Lamb was victorious in securing for us a NEW PASSOVER. From darkness to Light, from death to Life! The gospel for this Liturgy is taken from John's Prologue, divided into twelve verses, read in different languages that signify that the redemptive work of Christ applies to all people.



Spaghetti dinner Today at Hall - 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m.
\$12 per dinner; \$6 (kids portion); Dine in or take out



Don't miss Holy Week

Make your schedule this week, so that you can be present for the Divine Services for Holy Week through the Resurrection of Christ, and even the days of Bright Week. Absolutely no one should miss these Divine Services in person. Put God first: take off work or leave early, don't go to sports/activity practice, quit making excuses, and walk with our Lord and stand by the Cross of Christ.



Congrats on your retirement

Our Saint Michael Parish offers Congratulations to LOU LANZO who retired as regional sales director from ITW Pro Brands. May the Lord God grant to His servant, Lou, peace, health, and happiness, for many blessed years, na mnohaja i blahja l'ita. Happy Retirement Lou!

Easter egg hunt on Easter Sunday

The annual "EASTER EGG HUNT" will be **Easter Sunday, April 20th following the 10:30 a.m. Paschal Divine Liturgy.** All children are invited to the hunt.

ECF Classes winding down

The final ECF class will be on Tuesday, April 29th. Over the next two Tuesday's, our students are invited to attend the Holy Tuesday Pre-Sanctified Liturgy and also the Bright Tuesday Holyday Liturgy.

Recent Hall repair & upcoming repairs

- (1) A new utility sink was installed in the janitor's closet along with new faucets, drain, valves, and supply lines to the sink. The total cost was \$665.04. Work was done by L&M Plumbing.
- (2) A toilet in the women's bathroom is cracked and porcelain pieces in the toilet are preventing proper flushing. A new toilet will have to be installed.
- (3) A down payment for the new ansul system for the kitchen was made. The new system should be installed hopefully soon.

20th annual Women's Day of reflection...

Saturday, May 17th, 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Kearns Spirituality Center, Pittsburgh. "Do Whatever He Tells You." (John 2:11) Pre-registration is required by May 3rd. \$40. includes lunch (no refunds). Registration forms can be found in the narthex. For more information call 412-322-8773 or email ore@archpitt.org.

Our pastor wishes everyone to have a blessed, uplifting, & spiritually benefiting Holy Week. Make Holy Week, HOLY!